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VICTORY FOR DJOKOVIC BUT ISSUE YET TO BE RESOLVED

World No 1 wins legal battle to stay in Australia. However, country's immigration minister could still deport him

NOVAK POTENTIALLY ABLE TO PLAY AT OZ OPEN

In an emergency court hearing on Monday, the judge made the ruling in favour of Djokovic — who was in detention since his arrival on January 6 — on Covid-19 health grounds, potentially clearing the way for him to take part in the Australian Open. The Serbian player's lawyers argued that since he recently recovered from Covid-19, he didn't need to be inoculated

BIGGEST VICTORY IN HIS CAREER: MOTHER

- Djokovic's mother Dijana (left) was elated. After the court's verdict, she said: "This is the biggest victory in his career, bigger than all his grand slams."
- In a Twitter post after the court verdict, Djokovic said that he's eager to take part in the Australian Open | P15

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NO OF OZ OPEN TITLES DJOKOVIC HAS POCKETED, MOST IN MEN'S SINGLES

CHENNAI ▪ MADURAI ▪ VIJAYAWADA ▪ BENGALURU ▪ KOCHI ▪ HYDERABAD ▪ VISAKHAPATNAM ▪ COIMBATORE ▪ KOZHIKODE ▪ THIRUVANANTHAPURAM ▪ BELAGAVI ▪ BHUBANESWAR ▪ SHIVAMOGGA ▪ MANGALURU ▪ TIRUPATI ▪ TIRUCHY ▪ TIRUNELVELI ▪ SAMBALPUR ▪ HUBBALLI ▪ DHARMAPURI ▪ KOTTAYAM ▪ KANNUR ▪ VILLUPURAM ▪ KOLLAM ▪ TADEPALLIGUDEM ▪ NAGAPATTINAM ▪ THRISSUR ▪ KALABURAGI

Deploy medical students for Covid care: Centre

ICMR advisory says asymptomatic individuals and contacts of patients, unless identified as high risk, needn't be tested

SUMI SUKANYA DUTTA @ New Delhi

THOUGH the current rate of hospitalisation of Covid patients is just 5-10% as against 20-23% during the second wave, the Centre on Monday urged states to augment human resources by engaging retired medical professionals or MBBS students as was done last year.

They can be used for teleconsultation as well as providing training to community volunteers in basic care and management at Covid Care Centres, Union Health Secretary Rajesh Bhushan said in a letter to all states. BSc nursing students of third and fourth year, too, can be deployed, he suggested.

Later in the day, the Indian Council of Medical Research issued an advisory saying asymptomatic individuals and contacts of Covid-positive patients, unless identified as high risk based on age or comorbidities, should not be tested for the infection. While the advisory is aimed at conserving resources, it also means that the count of frech cases could significantly go under the radar.

Bhushan's letter acknowledged that various states have initiated steps for setting up jumbo health facilities, including field hospitals and temporary hospitals. But both infrastructure and human resources have their limitations, he said.

Therefore, it is important to conserve healthcare workers by staggering their deployment wherever possible and by restricting elective procedures in the hospitals, he said.

As for the private sector, he said: "It must also be ensured that charges... are reasonable and there is a mechanism to monitor and initiate action in cases of over-charging." P9

If infected, wait 90 days

Doctors and virologists in Karnataka are asking healthcare workers and the elderly population getting their booster shots, to wait for a minimum of 90 days if they have had a recent breakthrough infection, otherwise the vaccine won't help much | P3

NATIONWIDE	JAN 9	JAN 10
Fresh cases	1,59,632	1,79,723
Recoveries	40,863	46,569
Deaths	327	146
KARNATAKA	**JAN 9**	**JAN 10**
Fresh cases	12,000	11,698
Recoveries	901	1,148
Deaths	4	4

JAB-O-METER
TAKE YOUR SHOT
January 9: **29,60,975 doses**
January 10: **82,76,158 doses**
TOTAL DOSES 1,52,78,35,951

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai and Health Minister Dr K Sudhakar at the launch of the booster dose drive for frontline workers and the elderly in Bengaluru on Monday | EXPRESS

K'taka at No. 4 in booster dose coverage on Day 1

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

TWO healthcare workers, two frontline workers and two people aged above 60 years, were the first to get the Covid-19 'precautionary' booster dose on Monday during the inauguration of the drive at the Atal Bihari Vajpayee Medical College and Research Centre, launched by CM Basavaraj Bommai.

As of 8.30 pm, Karnataka had administered 81,728 booster doses, standing fourth in the country after Gujarat, Andhra Pradesh and Rajasthan. The BBMP topped the list in all three beneficiary categories with 5,281 healthcare workers, 2,463 frontline worker and 3,931 persons aged over 60 being administered the dose on day one. P2

CM, 3 state MPs test +ve for Covid-19...

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

CHIEF Minister Basavaraj Bommai and a few other state leaders tested positive for Covid-19 on Monday. "I have tested positive for Covid-19 today with mild symptoms. My health is fine, I am under home quarantine," the CM posted on Twitter. "I request everyone who has recently come in my contact to isolate themselves and get tested," he noted.

Sources in the Chief Minister's Office (CMO) said that on Monday morning, a Rapid Antigen Test (RAT) showed Bommai as negative, after which he went ahead with his programmes. However, the RT-PCR report came back positive in the evening. Except for mild cough, the CM is reportedly doing fine and has isolated himself at his RT Nagar residence in Bengaluru. Bommai had tested positive for Covid-19 in September 2020.

On Monday, the CM attended a programme to launch the precautionary booster dose vaccination, held a meeting with ministers and top bureaucrats to discuss measures to tone up the administration, met a delegation of former vice-chancellors of universities and visited Prof Chandrashekar Patil's residence in the city to pay tributes to the departed poet, writer and critic. Sources said after the surge in cases and Revenue Minister R Ashoka and Chief Secretary Ravi Kumar testing positive a few days ago, the CMO has been taking all precautions to ensure that only a minimum number of people attended the CM's meetings. Tests are also being conducted regularly at the CMO.

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...but DKS refuses test, booked for violations

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

WITH the Opposition Congress pushing ahead with its padayatra over the Mekedatu issue, the local administration on Monday filed an FIR against as many as 31 party leaders, including KPCC president D K Shivakumar, Congress legislature party leader Siddaramaiah and leader of Opposition in Rajya Sabha, Mallikarjuna Kharge, for violating Covid norms.

In more trouble, the National Commission for Protection of Child Rights (NCPCR) has asked Karnataka DG&IGP Praveen Sood to initiate necessary action and inquiry against Shivakumar for failing to follow Covid-appropriate behaviour when he met some schoolchildren during the padayatra. The state police chief has been asked to submit an action-taken report within seven days.

The Congress kicked off the Mekedatu padayatra from Sangama in Kanakapura taluk of Ramanagara district. Shivakumar continued to dare the authorities, sarcastically remarking that he will furnish more videos of the party's rank and file taking part in the big-ticket event which has witnessed over 7,000 people in attendance. The padayatra, under his leadership, continued with much fanfare on Monday and thousands of participants heading towards Kanakapura from Shivakumar's hometown Dodda Alanahalli village. P4

KPCC president DK Shivakumar and Congress workers on Day 2 of their 10-day padayatra on Monday

EXPRESS READ

NCW asks Twitter to suspend Siddharth's account

NEW DELHI: The National Commission for Women has asked Twitter to block the account of actor Siddharth for his tweet against badminton star Saina Nehwal and also wrote to Maharashtra Police seeking registration of an FIR against him. A tweet by Siddharth commenting on Nehwal's remark over the alleged lapse in the security of PM Narendra Modi during his Punjab visit had netizens fuming. P5

SC panel to investigate PM's security breach

KANU SARDA @ New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Monday said it would set up a high-level committee headed by a retired SC judge to probe the security lapse during Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visit to Punjab last week. A three-judge bench headed by Chief Justice N V Ramana also ordered the inquiry committees of the Centre and the Punjab government to stop their investigations into the January 5 security lapse. "We are taking the PM's security breach very seriously," the bench remarked, while hearing the plea of 'Lawyers Voice' seeking a thorough investigation into the breach in Modi's security in Punjab to ensure there is no such incident in the future.

While a detailed order is yet to be passed, the bench said it proposes to include the Director General of Police in Chandigarh, the ADGP (security) in Punjab, an Inspector General of the National Investigation Agency and the Registrar General of the Punjab and Haryana HC in the committee.

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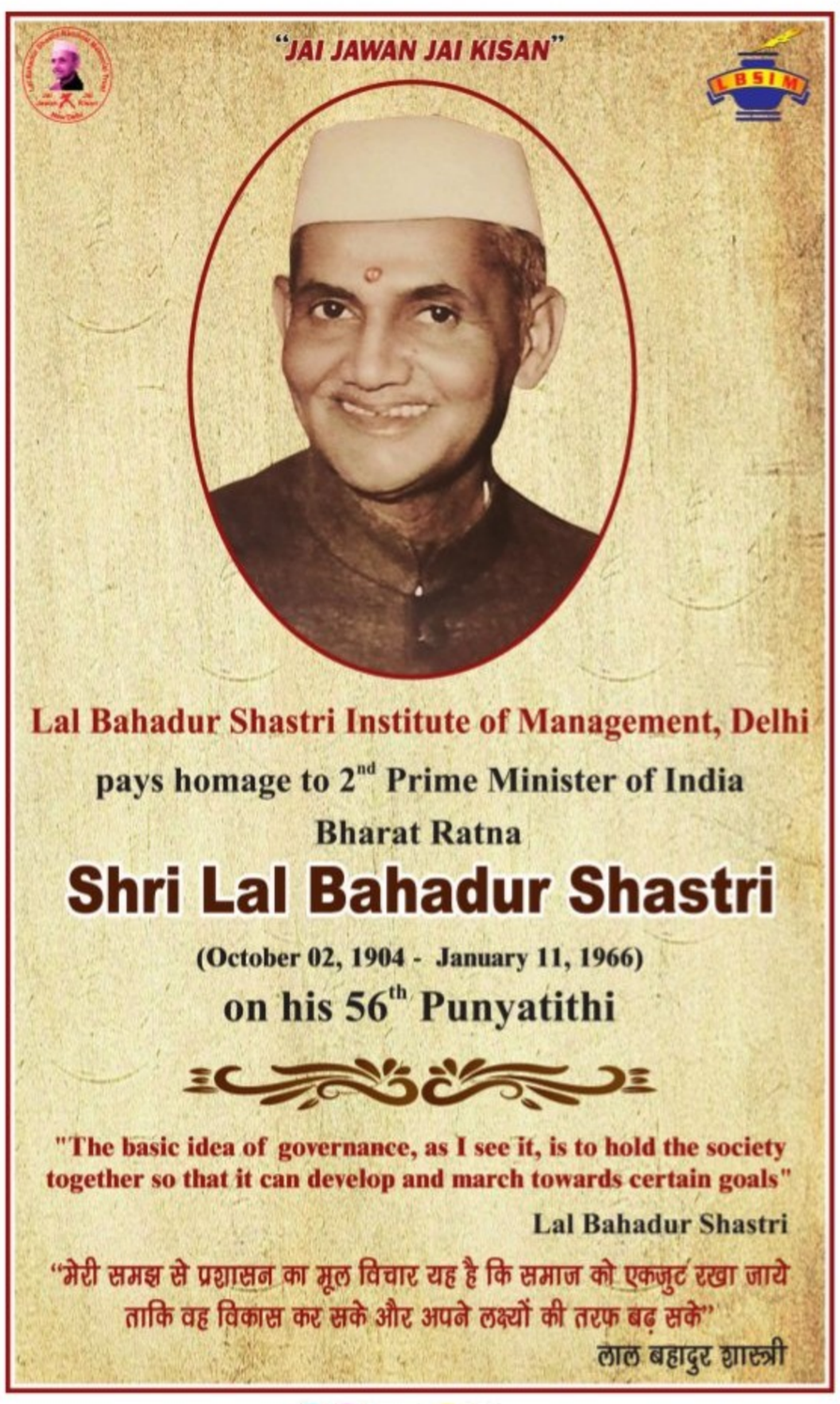
Noted Kannada writer Champa passes away

ENS @ Bengaluru

WELL-known Kannada poet, critic and writer Professor **Chandrashekar Patil** (82), popularly known as Champa, passed away at a private hospital in Bengaluru on Monday.

Professor Champa, who was in the forefront of the fight for the implementation of Kannada as medium of instruction in primary schools, had been ailing from some time now and is survived by his wife, daughter and son.

The mortal remains were kept at the Kannada Sahithya Parishat for some time for the public to pay their last respects and the last rites were conducted later with state honours at the burial ground in Chamarajapet on Monday. Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai, former CM B S Yediyurappa and others have condoled Champa's death. P4


"JAI JAWAN JAI KISAN"
LBSIM
Lal Bahadur Shastri Institute of Management, Delhi
pays homage to 2nd Prime Minister of India
Bharat Ratna
Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri
(October 02, 1904 - January 11, 1966)
on his 56th Punyatithi
"The basic idea of governance, as I see it, is to hold the society together so that it can develop and march towards certain goals"
Lal Bahadur Shastri
"मेरी समझ से प्रशासन का मूल विचार यह है कि समाज को एकजुट रखा जाये ताकि वह विकास कर सके और अपने लक्ष्यों की तरफ बढ़ सके"
लाल बहादुर शास्त्री

Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav
Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports and Department of Higher Education
Sri Narendra Modi
Hon'ble Prime Minister of India
Sri Basavaraj S. Bommai
Hon'ble Chief Minister
150th Birth Anniversary Celebrations of Swami Vivekananda
and as part of Azaadi ka Amritha Mahotsava, for the first time in the State,
State Yuva Sapthaha – 2022
From 12th January to 18th January
Inauguration: 12.01.2022 at 5.30 PM Venue: Banquet Hall, Vidhana Soudha.
Under the leadership of Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports in association with the co-operation of various other Departments, various programmes are being organized that would benefit the youth community including school-college students for one week from the State Level to Village Level. This Seven Day Programme will reach around 2 crore youth across the State
YUVA HELPLINE 155265
Dr. K.C. Narayanagowda, Hon'ble Minister for Youth Empowerment and Sports along with Dr. Ashwath Narayan. C.N, Hon'ble Minister for Higher Education launching the Youth Helpline.
"Arise, awake and stop not till the goal is reached" – Swami Vivekananda
January 12: 'Yuva Sansad' in all schools and colleges, Yuva 'Grama Sabhe' & Yuva ward Sabhe'
January 13: Programmes on Teachings and Principles of Swami Vivekananda
January 14: Health and Nutrition Camp, Awareness among Youth on Road Safety
January 15: Local Rural Sports Festival
January 16: Awareness on prevention of Drug Addiction, Atrocities on Women and Cyber Crimes
January 17: Awareness of the Legal Help Services among Youth
January 18: Training on Solid Waste Management Technology, Development of Entrepreneurship and Skill Development
As part of the Yuva Sapthaha from 12th January to 18th January, various programmes like Yuva 'Grama Sabhe' & Yuva ward Sabhe' 'Yuva Sansad', Teachings and Principles of Swami Vivekananda, including cultural and Awareness Building programmes are being organized. Each day will have a different programme. Information on around 540 Schemes of the Government for the youth will be given to create awareness among the youth.
Participate in 'Yuva Sansad', 'Grama Sabhe' and make State Yuva Sapthaha a Success
Dr. H.N. Gopalakrishna, IAS
Commissioner, Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports
Sri P. Pradeep, IAS
Commissioner, Department of Higher Education
Kumar Naik G, IAS
Additional Chief Secretary to the Govt., Department of Higher Education
Dr. Shalini Rajneesh, IAS
Additional Chief Secretary to the Govt., Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports
As is enshrined in our Constitution, to abide by the Constitution and respect its ideals and institutions, the National Flag and the National Anthem, is the fundamental duty of every citizen of the country.

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• Tuesday : 11/01/2022 • Year: Plava • Ayana: Dakshinayna
• Ritu: Himantha • Masa: Pushya • Paksha: Sukla • Tithi: Navami 4.49 pm
• Nakshatra: Ashwini 1.59 pm • Moon in Mesha Rashi • Rahukaala: 03:00 am to 04:30 am
• Gulikakala: 12:00 pm to 01:30 pm • Yamaganda: 09:00 am to 10:30 am

WEATHER
MIN 17°C | MAX 29°C
FORECAST
Clearing skies

Sunrise 6.44 am
Sunset 6.10 pm
Moonrise 1.12 am
Moonset 1.12 pm

Glitches force beneficiaries to return without booster jab

Senior citizens complain about uncertainty over booster dose schedule to wrong information on CoWin portal; BBMP looking into the matter

BOSKY KHANNA @ Bengaluru

MONDAY, the first day of administration of the booster vaccine dose, saw long queues outside PHCs and other vaccination centres. However, many enthusiastic beneficiaries eligible for the booster shot returned disappointed without getting the jab, owing to a technical snag in the Central Government's CoWin portal.

"I had received my second dose in April last year. As per government directives, there must be a gap of nine months between the second and the booster doses. But the portal showed that I am not eligible for the vaccine. I stood in queue all morning to take the shot. The staffers at the PHC told me try after a week or next month," said a disappointed Narayana K (68).

Similar was the case with Sumathi M, who had received her second dose in March last year. "It has been over nine months since I received my second dose. I am not sure when I will be able to get my booster dose," she said.

To ensure that a large number of people get their booster dose and queues are well-managed and not mixed with those coming for testing at the PHCs, the vaccination drive was shifted to community halls at a few places. But many, especially those residing in the newly included 110 villages and CMC areas, were unable to take the vaccine. The PHC staffers were also left in the lurch. "We also did not know how to react. The app shows that the beneficiary is not eligible for the vaccine. But the second dose certificate date is much beyond the stipulated time. People are arguing with us. We are unable to do anything," said a PHC staffer.

Reacting to the agitation in the crowds, BBMP Special Commissioner, Health, Dr K V Trilok Chandra said that they had received several complaints, which are being checked. He said, "There is no need to register for the booster shot... the CoWin portal prompts it. However, glitches have been reported and are being looked into."

Camps will be set up to give third shot

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

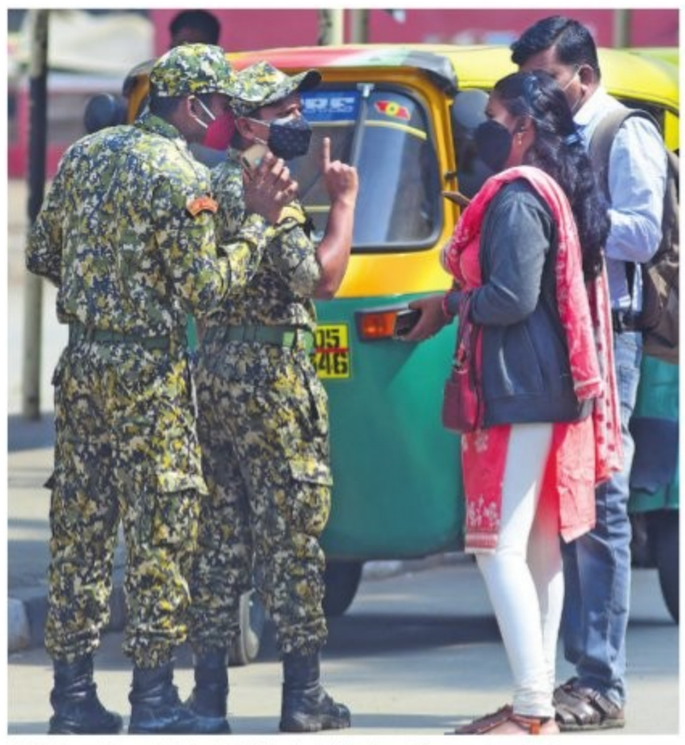
BBMP Chief Commissioner Gaurav Gupta on Monday said the format followed while administering vaccines to beneficiaries is being followed for booster doses also. Speaking to the media at the launch of the booster dose administration, he said camps have been set up for vaccinating those above 60 years, healthcare workers and frontline warriors. To control the rise in cases, all efforts are being made to draw a maximum number of people to vaccination centres. There are sufficient doses available, he said.

BBMP has set targets: Based on the CoWin portal, from January 10 to February 10, 1,03,163 healthcare workers will be given the beneficiary dose in a staggered manner, 40,000 frontline warriors and 2,87,802 individuals aged above 60 years will be given the shot in BBMP limits. In all, 4,30,966 people will be vaccinated, said an official release from BBMP.

Gupta said with cases increasing, everyone must get vaccinated and wear masks to bring down the severity of infection and reduce hospitalisation, besides curtailing the spread. Asked if more restrictions will be imposed, Gupta said there could be more strictures, considering the huge spike in numbers. The government is likely to take a decision after consulting experts and the Technical Advisory Committee.

To cater to the situation, sufficient beds have been arranged in government hospitals. Private hospitals and medical colleges, too, have been told to reserve beds for government referred cases. At present, there are around 100 admissions in hospitals. War rooms have been set up in all eight zones, and control rooms in each of the 28 assembly constituencies. Mobile triaging units are doing the rounds of 198 wards. All measures are being taken to counter the surge of cases in the third wave.

Senior citizens await their turn to be administered the Covid booster shot in Malleswaram, Bengaluru on Monday | SHRIRAM BN



BBMP Marshals maintain vigil at in Majestic, Bengaluru, on Monday | SHRIRAM BN

As cases rise, random testing also goes up

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

IN the wake of rising Covid cases, the random testing of people has also increased from an earlier 30,000, to now 50,000 a day, said Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) Chief Commissioner Gaurav Gupta on Monday.

Speaking to reporters, Gupta said all measures are being taken and aggressive checks are also being made to control the case rise during the third wave. Also, fearing being infected with the coronavirus, many individuals are voluntarily queuing up at testing centres and PHCs to give their swab samples for Covid-19 tests. Many doctors are also referring patients with even mild symptoms for tests. This has also led to more tests being reported on a daily basis, only leading to a rise in pressure for quick results.

Officials from the BBMP and Health Department also noted that there is increased pressure on labs to give test results quickly. The officials also admit that this has also increased the pressure on sending samples for genome sequencing for the omicron variant.

Many citizens were reported to have approached PHCs and test centres, seeking details of their reports, only to hear that the case load is very high, and so results will take time.

"As cases are very high, the test results to be analysed and uploaded are taking time as a lot of attention is being paid to positive cases. We understand that people need negative test reports to report for duty or for travel, but they will have to cooperate," said a BBMP health official.

In the meantime, the BBMP Chief Commissioner maintained that all steps are being taken to ensure that test reports are reflected within a stipulated time and action will be taken against labs if any delay is reported.

HOMEWARD BOUND

The fear of a lockdown is leading to an exodus of families to their hometowns. Here, a couple prepares to board a train at KSR Railway station on Monday | SHRIRAM BN

'STATE TO COMPLETE SECOND DOSE COVERAGE BY FEBRUARY'

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BUT, 79,787 health care workers and 20,467 frontline workers (total 1,00,254) were estimated to be due for the booster shot in the BBMP limits on day one. However the compiled district-wise data was not updated after 3.30 pm till the time of going to the press.

Bengaluru has been largely leading the surge in Covid cases with a huge majority of the additions in the state being reported from the state capital. Health officials said it is particularly important that target beneficiary groups eligible for the booster shots in Bengaluru come forward to take them.

As per the CoWIN portal, 1,03,163 healthcare workers, 40,000 front line workers, 2,87,802 people aged above 60 years (4,30,966 people) in BBMP limits will be due for the booster dose in a staggered manner through January 10 and February 10.

146 Omicron cases in B'luru, total now 476

Health Minister Sudhakar on Monday said 146 more cases of the Omicron variant of coronavirus have been detected in the state. This takes the state's tally to 479. "146 new cases of Omicron have been confirmed in Bengaluru today, taking the overall tally in Karnataka to 479," Sudhakar said in a tweet. The country's first two Omicron cases were detected in the state on December 2, 2021.

"Everyone needs to be protected from Covid-19 and hence, we are administering the vaccines. By January 31, we expect to complete 100 per cent coverage of the first dose in Karnataka and, by February, we will complete the second dose coverage as well," said Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai.

"After a gap of nine months from the second dose, priority groups can take the booster dose. Among the 15-17 paediatric population, we have already covered 50 per cent, or 15.60 lakh children, with one dose. The third wave is here and people need to follow the rules. Out of 12,000 cases on Sunday, 9,000 were from Bengaluru alone and we are touching 50,000 active cases," Health and Medical Education Minister Dr K Sudhakar said on Monday morning.

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

11th January : Here's a far-out exercise for today. Next time you look at yourself in the mirror, stop and think about the fact that all the matter in your body, every atom and every cell, was once part of our Sun. What's more, before then it was in another star. And, before that, it was in another. Yes, as the songs says, we are all stardust!

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
Mars, a planet whose two and a half year cycle regulates your general affairs, is now urging you to assert your interests, but in a rather inefficient manner! You should avoid pushing yourself forward at the risk of taking the wrong direction. It's much better to slow down and think more.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
Your mood will change around early afternoon. Your relationships are likely to be affected first, and the chances are that you'll tend to withdraw yourself from people you were formerly happy to mix with. Everyone must recognise that you need your privacy.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
You may have cut off your nose to spite your face - or turned the clock back in one important area. But, then, that may not be a bad thing! Who knows? You might actually have avoided a whole heap of trouble by bailing out of a commitment. A friend may need reassurance, though.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
You are showing a strong tendency to over-work. You may also be feeling under the weather, perhaps as a result of past strain. On the other hand, your general stellar and celestial influences today are positive and you could therefore do much to remedy the situation.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
Your current planetary patterns seem to be making you more energetic and self-confident. If you have any role models, they should be found amongst children and younger people or, at the very least, those friends who make a point out of being light-hearted.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
Of all the signs of the zodiac, yours may find itself most sharply squeezed between contradictory pressures and irreconcilable options. In addition, your range of possible actions could be limited: there may be nothing to choose between total commitment and a complete break.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
It's clear that you can't carry on for ever in the same old groove, and you must be prepared to cut out a great deal of dead wood if you are to get your point across. Others must be able to see that you are not hung up by beliefs which are nothing if not irrelevant.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
There are a number of adverse planetary patterns, but it would be a mistake to imagine that life must be difficult. When challenging events accumulate, it is always possible to search for, and find, the grain of gold which can transform your future. Make your own success!

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
Everything depends on what you expect. If you continue to believe that other people will let you down then they probably will. However, one way to deal with personal squabbles might be to recognise others' independence, just as you insist that they respect yours.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
Any current restlessness is likely to be born out of frustration. The way to live positively at the present is to be thoroughly self-sacrificing and utterly charitable in all your dealings with your fellow humans. Mind you, if you are going to abandon your own interests, make sure you do it for a deserving cause.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
There are still far too many uncertainties and loose ends, but that is often the way you like it, so don't complain. Memory is a funny thing and, if you look back to a time when life was more secure, you are almost certainly deluding yourself. You have as much in your favour now as you did then.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
If you are precise and pains taking in your dealings with loved ones, you will escape any blame for anything that goes wrong on the emotional level. However, the odd breakage around the house is almost inevitable, so lock your valuables away! And try to soothe angry friends.

THE PHANTOM

WHO DID YOU KILL....?
ANY REGIME PEOPLE?
THE FASCISTS MAY CALL IT MURDER....
PEOPLE AROUND HERE CALL IT RIGHTING WHAT'S GONE WRONG.
Falk

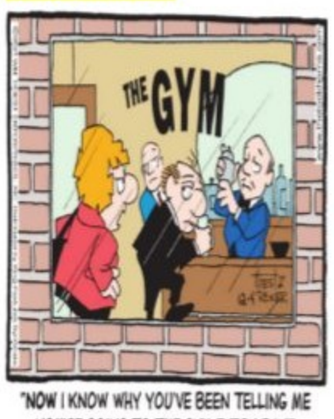
HI AND LOIS

BEETLE BAILEY

BLONDIE

YOU KNOW WHAT I'D LIKE TO DO? GO GRAB A BURGER!
WOW, SON! YOU READ MY MIND!
WHOOPS! SORRY, DAD, I WAS TALKING TO LIZZIE ON MY EARBUDS! SHE SAYS "HI"!
OH, HI, LIZZIE!
SHOOT! I REALLY WANTED A BURGER!!
DEAR, ARE YOU TALKING TO YOURSELF AGAIN?

LOCKHORNS



"NOW I KNOW WHY YOU'VE BEEN TELLING ME YOU'RE GOING TO THE GYM EVERY DAY!"

DENNIS THE MENACE

"DO YOU LIKE PUTTING UP CHRISTMAS LIGHTS?" "MORE THAN I LIKE PUTTING UP WITH OTHER THINGS."

SUDOKU

Evil : Test your number crunching skill with our unique puzzle

Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.

	3					6		7
				5			8	3
1			2					
			6		4	9		
		6				4		
		2	7		5			
					2			1
5	7			6				
9		3					4	

Solutions to Saturday's puzzle

1	9	7	3	6	4	5	8	2
2	8	4	5	7	1	3	6	9
6	5	3	8	2	9	1	7	4
4	2	8	1	5	3	6	9	7
5	3	9	6	4	7	2	1	8
7	1	6	2	9	8	4	5	3
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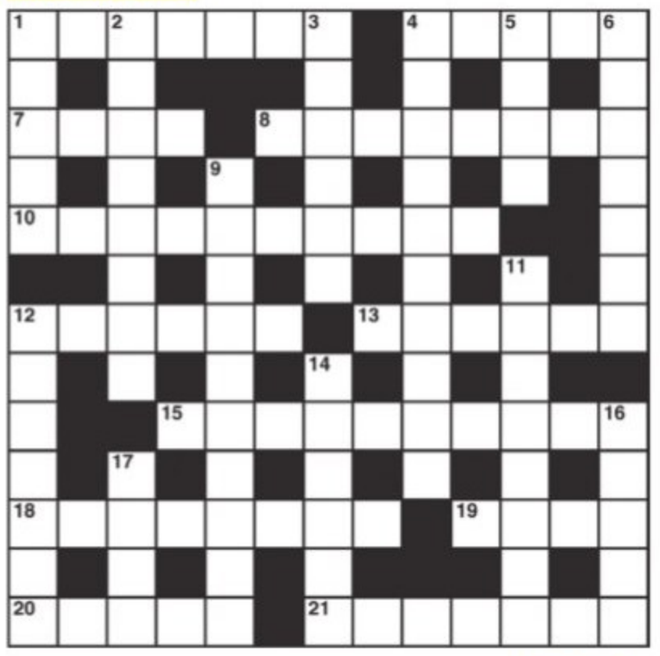
CROSS WORD



ACROSS
1 Common knowledge (3-4)
4 Cream and gold seen in a plant (5)
7 It's drunk with beef we hear (4)
8 Mislaid one's watch and was held up? (4,4)
10 He likes people looking in at his window (10)
12 The lowest form of birds (6)
13 Had a lean time? (6)
15 One who enters the services (10)
18 With new income around a company is profitable (8)
19 At night a place for a really good bash? (4)
20 Abnormal person in the sideshow may be a faker (5)
21 New apron's about right to be worn in Scotland (7)

DOWN
1 Statute has two points that need cutting (5)
2 Express need just in an irresponsible way (8)
3 Done so and may be caught (6)
4 Justified in changing their night (2,3,5)
5 Bespectacled greeting in American state (4)
6 Gave in or gave out (7)
9 In which to find an artist's early work? (10)
11 Is he in no hurry to act? (8)
12 A very personal description of royalty (7)
14 Characteristics of an artist (6)
16 Uplifting a writer or a flier (5)
17 One's unusually outstanding feature (4)

SATURDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Soft-hearted, 9 Icicles, 10 Noise, 11 Herd, 12 Interest, 14 Needed, 16 Bestir, 18 Wreathed, 19 Iron, 22 Least, 23 Erratum, 24 Charioteers.

Down: 2 Osier, 3 Tell, 4 Easing, 5 Rendered, 6 Evident, 7 Wishing well, 8 Deuteronomy, 13 Testator, 15 Eyewash, 17 Hereto, 20 Rotor, 21 Free.

JUMBLE

By David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek

Unscramble these Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

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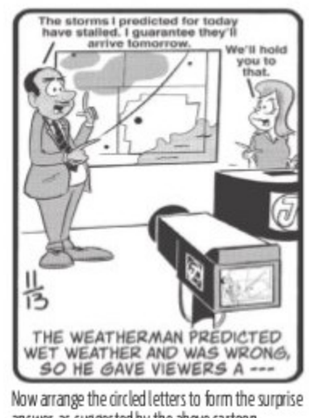
The storms I predicted for today have stalled. I guarantee they'll arrive tomorrow.
We'll hold you to that.
11/13
THE WEATHERMAN PREDICTED WET WEATHER AND WAS WRONG, SO HE GAVE VIEWERS A ---

Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon

Answer here:

ANSWERS TOMORROW

YESTERDAY'S **Jumbles:**
TULIP ABATE COUPON DISOWN
ANSWER: Early navigators benefited from good equip-ment. The compass is - A CASE IN POINT

Adding to the surge in Covid cases, 90 people including 80 students of Kittur Rani Channamma Girls residential school in Kittur town in the district have tested positive for the virus. As a precaution, health and family welfare department has sealed the school. Over 600 students including students from Maharashtra, Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Gujarat and other states have enrolled in the school for intermediate education

TRACKING COVID-19

DURATION OF PANDEMIC
1 YEAR, 307 DAYS

CASES REPORTED
Today: **11,698** | Yesterday: **12,000**

TALLY
Today: **30,63,656**
Yesterday: **30,51,958**

DEATHS	DISCHARGES
Today: **4**	Today: **1,148**
Yesterday: **4**	Yesterday: **901**

ACTIVE CASES
Today: **60,148**
Yesterday: **49,602**

POSITIVITY RATE	MORTALITY RATE
Today: **5.29%**	Today: **1.25%**
Yesterday: **5.29%**	Yesterday: **1.25%**

RECOVERY RATE Today: **96.78%** Yesterday: **97.11%**

DISTRICT-WISE COVID CASES
LAST 24 HOURS

Bengaluru Urban	9,221
Bengaluru Rural	143
Bagalkot	7
Ballari	93
Belagavi	129
Bidar	37
Chamarajanagar	40
Chikkaballapur	53
Chikkamagaluru	43
Chitradurga	27
Dakshina Kannada	176
Davanagere	22
Dharwad	144
Gadag	16
Hassan	171
Haveri	0
Kalaburagi	88
Kodagu	23
Kolar	65
Koppal	7
Mandya	306
Mysuru	309
Raichur	4
Ramanagara	8
Shivamogga	75
Tumakuru	139
Udupi	219
Uttara Kannada	100
Vijayapura	28
Yadgir	5

BOOSTER DOSE ONLY 90 DAYS AFTER INFECTION, SAY DOCTORS

Third shot soon after recovery does not help; Many reinfections in this wave, they opine

CHETANA BELAGERE
@ Bengaluru

DOCTORS and virologists are asking healthcare workers and the elderly population getting their booster doses, to wait for a minimum of 90 days if they have had a recent breakthrough infection, otherwise the vaccine won't help much.

"Anyone with a breakthrough infection -- which means those vaccinated with both doses but still infected with Covid 19 -- should wait for three months before taking the booster shot," explained Dr V Ravi, renowned virologist, and former head of Dept of Virology, Nimhans. He himself is recovering from a breakthrough infection with mild symptoms, and is out of isolation on Monday.

According to him, the booster will not harm the individual, but not help in any way either. The body would have already developed antibodies with the natural infection, so a booster vaccine may not help the cause. "It is just like wasting the vaccine," he added.

A health worker administers booster dose to a beneficiary at Malleswaram in Bengaluru on Monday | SHRIRAM B N

Meanwhile, several healthcare workers who are anxious as their risk of exposure to Covid-19 patients is high, don't want to wait for the 90-day period. A doctor from Victoria Hospital, who is recovering from Covid-19, told TNIE, "I don't want to wait. I am going to wait only till my fever subsides. I have mild symptoms but I will go ahead and take the booster in the next few days."

However, Dr C N Manjunath, Director, Jayadeva Institute of Cardiovascular Research, and member of Technical Advisory Committee said, "You will now see many reinfections. The third wave is going to be double of what we saw during the Delta second wave. With breakthrough infections, the same rule holds good. Booster vaccine should be taken after a gap of 90 days."

Doctors also warn that there may be cases where the infection occurs soon after vaccination. It could even take 28 days for antibodies to increase, say experts. Doctors also said that people should not check or weigh the level of immunity by measuring their antibodies. Many healthcare workers seem to be taking up this exercise which is futile, they say. Besides, taking boosters may not prevent reinfection.

Dr Manjunath explained, "In the case of Omicron, we have seen people in the UK and other countries being infected even after boosters. Only hospitalisation will reduce to a great extent, and the chance of mortality is definitely low. Masking up and avoiding crowds in closed areas are the only ways to prevent infection."

5 days isolation for asymptomatic health workers

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DESPITE healthcare workers testing positive in large numbers, especially in Bengaluru, the state Covid-19 Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) has recommended reduction in isolation period from seven to five days. This applies to asymptomatic health workers below 60 years, without comorbidities and those who are fully vaccinated, in a bid to ensure continuity of medical services.

This was discussed at the TAC committee meeting on Sunday. The workers will be strictly monitored for those five days, as per state protocol. "If they remain asymptomatic for the next five days, they can report back to work. However, subsequently they shall strictly follow double masking and other Covid-19 protocol. Health workers who are symptomatic shall follow the state protocol of seven days isolation. Hotel CCCS shall be established and linked to hospitals to facilitate smooth, immediate transfer of affected healthcare workers. The cost of hotel CCCs shall be borne by the institution," the proceedings of the meeting read. It noted that during the second wave, affected healthcare workers paid their hotel CCC bills and this had dampened their spirit.

TAC recommended a designated Covid-19 hospital with ICU facility for maternity and paediatric services. This needs to be urgently activated in BBMP areas as these patients account for about 80% of the cases in the state. The committee also looked at private hospitals with less than 30 beds, which are smaller centres and are generally not recommended to admit severe Covid patients. They are to be referred to bigger hospitals.

It also advised against allowing exemption from protocols of testing and quarantine at airports for players and officials from high-risk countries, at the upcoming Karnataka State Lawn Tennis Association.

Self-medication with Molnupiravir can be dangerous: Experts

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THOUGH the antiviral drug Molnupiravir has been kept out of the treatment protocol recommended by the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), doctors are warning patients that the drug, which is now available in the market, has "major safety concerns" and should not self-administered.

Dr Ravindra Mehta, Pulmonologist with Apollo Group of Hospitals, has warned people against using the drug unless prescribed by a medical practitioner. "It is a new drug and it has specific indications and side-effects," he pointed out.

Molnupiravir is a repurposed Covid-19 drug originally developed to treat influenza. It is meant for mild or moderately ill Covid-19 patients who are at risk of developing serious illness. The manufacturing companies claim that the pill, if taken during the first five days after contracting the infection, has the potential to prevent serious illnesses.

However, doctors have raised concerns over the drug which is low in effectiveness and has some possible side-effects. Indian Council of Medical Research director Dr Balram Bhargava had recently said that the drug was found only 30% effective in trials, much lower than what the company had indicated earlier. Also, there have been concerns over its mechanism— small-molecule antiviral prodrug incorporates itself into the RNA of the virus, inducing mutations with the objective of hampering replication. But this also has the risk of introducing mutations which can make the virus stronger and more dangerous.

Dr Swati Rajagopal, Consultant (Infectious Disease and Travel Medicine), Aster CMI Hospital, says, "It is clearly mentioned that the drug is not recommended for pregnant women and a urine pregnancy test is needed before administration in women of child-bearing age group. The clinician should be very clear as to when and which group of patients should be using the drug and what variant they are targeting."

"If a drug isn't safe for use, the Drugs Controller General of India, the body involved in pharmacovigilance, wouldn't have approved it. The guidelines are clearly outlined by the UK and National Institutes of Health norms and the clinician should weigh the usefulness of the drug and then decide. It is fair not to include Molnupiravir in the national guideline as it is not effective against the Omicron variant," she added."Going by the fact that the drug, though easily available in the market at insignificant cost, hoarding may not happen. But it depends on the number of cases. So it's better to monitor," Dr Ravindra Mehta added.

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(For Immovable Property)

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Date : 06.01.2022 Sd/- Authorised Officer
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Date : 07.01.2022 Sd/- Authorised Officer
Place : Bengaluru The Federal Bank Ltd

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED
(CIN : U40109KA1999SGC025521)

NO. SEE/Tr(W&M)/C/KLB/DCA/EE(O)/AEE-1/2021-22/4534 Date:10.01.2022

TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through e-procurement Portal Only)

KPTCL invites bids for the following Work:

1. BID ENQUIRY No. KPTCL/SEE/KLB/Tr(W&M)/EE(O)/AEE-1/21-22/Intermediate towers-TLM S/D Humnabad/Call-3 for Providing 07 No's of A+O intermediate Towers between location numbers (i)25(B)-26(A), (ii)41(B)-42(B), (iii)17(A)-18(B), (iv)94(A)-95(A), (v)10(A)-11(A), (vi)120-121, (vii)50-51 in 110KV S/C lines in TLM sub Division KPTCL, Humnabad.

2. BID ENQUIRY No. KPTCL/SEE/KLB/Tr(W&M)/EE(O)/AEE-1/21-22/Hattigudur-Kembhavi-KBJNL/Call-3 for Providing 01 No of intermediate B+O Tower in 110KV Hattigudur-Kembhavi KBJNL D/C Ckt line between Loc No. 62-63 in TLI Section Shahapur of TLM sub Division Shahabad.

3. BID ENQUIRY No. KPTCL/SEE/KLB/Tr(W&M)/EE(O)/AEE-1/21-22/Sedam-Tandur for Providing intermediate tower to 220KV Sedam-Tandur S/c Transmission line to increase the ground clearance between location No: 137A-138A near Sedam tandur Highway crossing coming under the TLI section Sedam.

4. BID ENQUIRY No. KPTCL/SEE/KLB/Tr(W&M)/EE(O)/AEE-1/21-22/Shahapur-Sedam for Replacement of Twisted A type tower to B+0 tower in 220KV Shahapur-Sedam S/C transmission line at location no: 123 in TLI Section Sedam.

The bids will be received through e-procurement mode only. The detailed notification regarding the subject enquiry in the E-procurement process can be obtained by logging on to website: https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in with hyper Link 'e-Procurement-KPTCL' or directly to website https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in.on hyperlink "List of Tenders" on or after **11-01-2022, 12.30 PM.** Any other details can be had from the office of the undersigned during office hours.

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CORRIGENDUM

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Date : 10.01.2022 Sd/- Authorised Officer
Place : Bengaluru Canara Bank

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Huchhappa S/o late Munithimmaiah, was died on 01.01.1963 and Doddanarasamma W/o Late Huchhappa, was died on 03.02.2011 at Vaddarahalli Village, Kadabagere, Dasanapura Hobli, Bangalore North, Bangalore-562130 by decease for registering date of death, Sri Chikkegowda and other's has filed C.Misc Petition No.882/2021 and, 913/2021 Under section 13(3) of the Karnataka Births and deaths Registration Act-1969 before the Hon'ble Chief Judicial Magistrate, Bangalore Rural at Bengaluru pertaining to this Petition's if anybody having any objection may be filed **on 02.02.2022 at 11.00 am** fails to do same may be disposed of exparte.
Issuing on this 10th day of Jan 2022 with seal and signature of the court.
By Order of the Court, Shirastedar, CJM, Bengaluru Rural, Bangalore.

PUBLIC NOTICE

R. Shivagangamma, W/o Sri Ramakrishnappa .B was died on 06.09.2010 and Rangamma, W/o Late Chikkaboranna was died on 24.03.2014 at house No.35-4, Near Gramapanchayath Office, Kachohalli Main Road, Kachohalli, Bangalore North, Bangalore-562123 by decease for registering date of death, Sri.R.Kamalesha Gowda and another has filed C.Misc Petition No.811/2021 and 814/2021 Under section 13(3) of the Karnataka Births and deaths Registration Act-1969 before the Hon'ble Chief Judicial Magistrate, Bangalore Rural at Bengaluru pertaining to this Petition's if anybody having any objection may be filed **on 27.01.2022 at 11. 00 am** fails to do same may be disposed of exparte.
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By Order of the Court, Shirstedar, CJM, Bengaluru Rural, Bangalore.

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On-line bids are invited by PCMM, RCF on behalf of President of India for following items:-

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CORRIGENDUM

The following amendment is authorized against following Tenders:- **(1)** Tender No. 17211514 for the supply of **LAYOUT OF LETTERING INSIDE FOR AC-2T EOG COACH LHB WITH BRAILLE DISPLAY** due date to be read as **17.01.2022** instead of **07.01.2022. (2)** Tender No. 17211503 for the supply of **LAYOUT OF LETTERING INSIDE FOR LHB AC 3TIER EOG WITH BRAILLE SCRIPT** due date to be read as **17.01.2022** instead of **07.01.2022. (3)** Tender No. 17211718 for the **DESIGN, SUPPLY AND INSTALLATION OF COMPLETE FURNISHING OF TEJAS SLEEPER COACHES** due date to be read as **20.01.2022** instead of **06.01.2022.** **PCMM**

No.: G-RCF/122-01/Stores/121/2021-22 Dated: 10.01.2022

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Place: Bengaluru Union Bank of India

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The pledges in specific and the public in general are hereby notified that public auction of the gold ornaments pledged in the below accounts is proposed to be conducted at the following branches on 25-01-2022 at 11:00 am onwards. We are auctioning the gold ornaments of the defaulted customers who have failed to make payment of his/her loan amount despite being notified through various communication. Unauctioned items shall be auctioned on any other days without further notice of changes in venue or date and the same shall be displayed at concerned branches without any further.

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In case we are unable to complete the auction at the branch on the notified date, the same will be conducted through Shriram Automall India Limited (SAMIL) on their online e- auction platform https://gold.samil.in on 07-02-2022 between 12.30 PM to 3.30 PM. Please note if the e- auction does not completed on 07-02-2022 the same will be re-auctioned on subsequent working days on the same terms and conditions.

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Disgruntled JDS MLA GT Devegowda has backed the Mekedatu padayatara. Terming it as the need of the hour, he said KPCC president DK Shivakumar has invited every politician cutting across party lines to join the march. "There is no politics in the padayatra as elections are more than a year away in Karnataka. The Congress is unitedly taking out this padayatra and the State Government also has not stopped it," he said.

MEKEDATU WARPATH

TROUBLED WATERS

While Karnataka and Tamil Nadu are engaged in a tug-of-war over the Mekedatu project, it has turned into a political flashpoint within the state too. The Congress has launched a padayatra, demanding its implementation and hoping to turn it into a votecatcher. Nine years after it was first proposed, the project is pending as it awaits key clearances from the Centre

PROJECT IN NUMBERS

To generate **524 MW** of power | Balancing reservoir with water storage capacity of **67.16** tmcft | **5,252** hectares of land (over 12,000 acres) will be submerged | Bengaluru to get **4.75 tmcft** of water | Approx. Cost **₹9,000 cr** (plus escalation cost)

2013
Sept 10: Meeting on Mekedaatu held under chairmanship of Water Resources minister, directions given to officials to prepare Detailed Project Report (DPR)

2015
April 30: Memorandum on Mekedatu project submitted to PM Modi by CM Siddaramaiah

2016
June 4: DPR of Rs 5,912 crore submitted to govt for approval

2017
March 13: In-principle clearance for DPR accorded by Siddaramaiah govt, submitted to Central Water Commission for clearance

2018
Feb: Supreme Court judgment gives green signal for Mekedatu
Nov 13: TN files miscellaneous application with a prayer that directions issued by Central Water Commission for preparation of DPR be kept in abeyance

2019, 2020, 2021
Matter heard five times in Supreme Court

JAN 11, 2022
Posted for next hearing

DKS digs heels in, Bommai likely to crack down

Cong leaders flout Covid norms, Shivakumar refuses to undergo test, Siddu out of action

DEVARAJ B HIREHALLI
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WITH the Congress determinedly continuing its Mekedatu padayatra on Tuesday with much fanfare and allegedly flouting Covid-19 protocol, unfazed by the FIR filed against party leaders, the Basavaraj Bommai government hinted at taking stringent measures before the padayatra reaches Bengaluru, which has been reporting a spurt in cases.

While BJP leaders, including Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai, Revenue Minister R Ashoka, MP Rajiv Chandrashekar and BJP state president Nalin Kumar Kateel have tested Covid-positive, the Congress appears to be thumbing its nose at the government's restrictions.

KPCC president D K Shivakumar, especially, is flouting rules by continuing the padayatra, and could prompt firm action by the government, according to sources. On Monday, he again stoked a controversy by mingling with high school students as part of his padayatra, paying little heed to basic precautions — he wasn't masked, and students wore their masks on their chins. His behaviour invited heavy trolling by the BJP.

"The state registered 12,000 cases yesterday with Bengaluru alone accounting for about 9,000, and the positivity rate has risen to 6.8% and 10% respectively. Karnataka stands third in the country. So more precautionary measures are needed," CM Bommai said. "But the government is concerned about the health of those participating in the padayatra. It is the duty of the health department to check the condition of the walkers." He urged participants to cooperate with health workers.

Shivakumar refused to undergo a test, and instead, accused the government of conspiring to ensure his test comes positive, by sending an infected person to collect his swab. He reiterated that the spike in cases is manipulation by the government.

Former CM M Veerappa Moily reportedly postponed the release of his autobiography. Opposition leader Siddaramaiah, who dropped out of the padayatra after 4km on Sunday, has been advised rest by his personal doctors, and it remains uncertain whether he will rejoin the walk on Tuesday.

Ramanagara DC, officials test positive

Ramanagara Deputy Commissioner Dr K Rakesh Kumar, his deputy Javare Gowda and Zilla Panchayat CEO Ikram, who tested positive, are isolated and working from home. The DC, who tested positive four days ago, may resume work in three days, while Ikram is on the path to recovery. Javare Gowda, who met DK Shivakumar on Sunday evening, underwent a RAT on Monday.

This has led Shivakumar to accuse the government of attempting to send an infected officer to meet him. With Shivakumar being Javare Gowda's primary contact, it remains to be seen whether he isolates himself. On Monday, though, Shivakumar looked visibly tired and has had a cough for a couple of days. He said he will remain silent for three days, as his statements are stoking controversy.

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> CM Basavaraj Bommai

Congress workers and others take part in the Mekedatu padayatra on Monday which was launched by the party at Cauvery Sangama in Kanakapura taluk of Ramanagara district, on Sunday

STUNG BY REMARK, DKS SAYS HE'LL KEEP MUM FOR 3 DAYS

KPCC president D K Shivakumar on Monday stoked a fresh controversy when he recalled Home Minister Araga Jnanendra's remarks on the Mysuru rape incident. After the issue snowballed, he vowed not to speak for the next three days. On Monday, Home Minister Araga Jnanendra appealed to the Congress not to go ahead with the padayatra. Reacting to this, Shivakumar said in Kanakapura, "I pity his ignorance." Sarcastically, he added, "I welcome his statement. It all started with the Mysuru rape issue and he got raped." In August 2021, Araga Jnanendra had reportedly said, "The rape happened in Mysuru, but Congress party is trying to rape the home minister", in an attempt to attack the Congress party's harsh criticism over the Mysuru gangrape case.

Congress, BJP continue to spar over Mekedatu

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THE Tamil Nadu government's application questioning the National Green Tribunal's principal bench order, vacating the stay given by the tribunal's southern bench on the construction of the Mekedatu balancing reservoir, will come up for hearing in the Supreme Court on January 11, Water Resources minister Govind Karjol's office has said.

On Monday, the minister released a video and claimed yet again that Congress is responsible for the delay in the Mekedatu project. However, former Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and former water resources minister M B Patil refuted Karjol's allegations. Siddaramaiah pointed out that the Supreme Court had decided on the issue in 2018, and questioned how the Congress can be blamed.

Karjol claimed that the then Congress government had spent Rs 2,637 crore for relief and rehabilitation of the Upper Krishna Project and asked the party to introspect why they had made such a small contribution in five years. "What right do they have to talk about Mekedatu," he asked.

Congress leaders said Karjol took over as Water Resources Minister just a few months ago and perhaps did not possess all the details. "Please do not misrepresent facts," Siddaramaiah told Karjol. He also questioned what the "double engine" BJP government was doing now for 30 months. Urban Development Minister Byrati Basavraj told *TNIE*, "The Congress could not complete so many works in the five years they were in power. D K Shivakumar, who is an MLA, could not complete the canal works in Kanakapura, and even as Water Resources Minister, he could only do so much.."

'VEHICLES AT SANGAMA IDENTIFIED'

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THE jurisdictional Sathanur police have also booked MP D K Suresh, former CM M Veerappa Moily, party leaders Dr G Parameshwara, Eshwar Khandre, Umashree, B K Hariprasad, M B Patil, Ramalinga Reddy, H K Patil, N A Haris, Mohammed Nalpad Haris, T B Jayachandra, H M Revanna, Saleem Ahmed, Laxmi Hebbalkar, Vinay Kulkarni, Priyank Kharge, Dr Yathindra Siddaramaiah, U T Khader, Sowmya Reddy, Cheluvarayaswamy, Motamma, and also Jayamala, 'Duniya' Vijay, Sa Ra Govind and Sadhu Kokila from the Kannada film industry.

Following a complaint from Kanakapura tahsildar H Vishwanath, the FIR was filed under Sections 141, 143, 290, 336 of the Disaster Management Act, 2005, and Subsection (3A) of Section 5 of Karnataka Epidemic Diseases Act, 2020. "We had earlier issued notice and again orally instructed them to stop the rally. Since they are continuing with the padayatra, more people, especially the leaders, will be booked for flouting norms. We have already identified the vehicles which were at Cauvery Sangama on Sunday in violation of the weekend curfew norms and action will be taken against the owners, including the travel agencies," informed Ramanagara DC Dr K Rakesh Kumar.

Meanwhile, in a letter to the Karnataka DG&IGP, the child rights body chairperson stated that they have taken suo-motu cognizance of a video on Twitter wherein Shivakumar is seen meeting schoolchildren during the padayatra, thereby involving children in political activity.

KSE hits out at Cong for flouting Covid norms

SHIVAMOGGA: RDPR Minister KS Eshwarappa alleged that the Congress is "giving Covid-19 infection to the state", and not drinking water, through its Mekedatu padayatra. When the number of Covid cases are increasing by the day, the Congress is holding the padayatra with a large gathering of over 8,000 people, violating all Covid norms. Speaking to media-persons here on Monday, he said that irrespective of party, one must give importance to people's health. "For the Congress, however, politics is more important than health," he charged. "I am very happy that actor Shivarajkumar did not turn up for the Mekedatu padayatra. In the name of Mekedatu, the Congress is doing politics with a huge gathering of people, violating Covid norms," Eshwarappa said. He said that many people are under the illusion that with D K Shivakumar, they can avail seats for taluk and zilla panchayat elections, thus emerging victorious. Many people across the state have participated in the padayatra, risking their health during the outbreak of the pandemic, he added. "These people will spread the disease across Karnataka. Earlier, Congress leaders said they would follow Covid rules, and added that they have distributed more than 1 lakh masks to people. Meanwhile, Shivakumar himself is not wearing a mask."

CM progammes postponed till January 13

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The CM's home office and his residence were also sanitised. All CM's programmes have been postponed till January 13. On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, the CM was scheduled to visit several parts of Bengaluru to review BWSSB's works and also to review Covid-19 preparedness. Many senior leaders including BJP state president and MP Nalin Kumar Kateel, Bagalkot MP PC Gaddigoudar and Union Minister of State for Electronics and Information Technology Rajeev Chandrashekar also tested positive for Covid-19. Kateel took to Twitter asking those who had come in contact with him to get themselves tested. Kateel stated that he is asymptomatic and healthy.

Alva writes to PM over violence against minorities

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FORMER Governor of Rajasthan and Uttarakhand Margaret Alva expressed concern about violence against minorities. In a letter to Prime Minister Narendra Modi, the former Union Minister said, "You are a leader respected nationally and internationally. You travel around the world, calling on world leaders, including His Holiness the Pope in Rome, proclaiming that India is a free democratic secular state. Your speeches and statements have been praised and extensively reported on, by the global media. Unfortunately, the reality on the ground here presents a stark contrast to the image you project of India to the global community, especially in the context of minorities rights and secularism."

Alva stated that she was appalled at the recent statements made by some religious leaders calling for genocide of non-Hindus, to create a Hindu rashtra. "Your silence is misread as tacit approval and encouragement to the ever increasing violence and intimidation India's minorities are being subjected to," she stated.

On the anti-conversion bill, Alva said that it has provisions that have been struck down by courts and are violative of the Constitution. "It makes all minorities, our institutions, practices, services and charities suspect..." she stated.

PROF CHANDRASHEKAR PATIL (1939-2022)

Champa, only writer to be jailed during Emergency in K'taka

SARJOO KATKAR
Writer and journalist

BORN in a traditional Jangama family in Hattimattur village of Haveri district, Chandrashekar Patil, known by the pen name Champa, never lost a chance to oppose what he did not like. His real name was Chandrashekarayya Patil Kulkarni, which he shortened in later years.

Champa was the only Kannada writer who was jailed during the Emergency in 1975. He was in jail for 26 days, and also penned a book, '26 Days'. Inspired by Ram Manohar Lohia and Jayaprakash Narayan, Patil was the face of North Karnataka Nava Nirmana Kranti where other writers like Lankesh, Poornachandra Tejasvi and Nanjund Swamy shared a great relation with Champa. Champa inspired many young writers through the magazine Sankramana. From his college days, he was active in many social agitations. When poet V K Gokak showed an inclination to bring Sanskrit language in the state, Champa coined a phrase 'Gokak Go Back', which became popular throughout Karnataka. In fact, Champa had stated that during his college days in Dharwad's Karnatak College, he was inspired by the poems of Gokak.

CM Basavaraj Bommai and others pay their last respects to Kannada poet and writer Professor Chandrashekar Patil, who passed away in Bengaluru on Monday

Champa led the agitation against stopping Puttaparthi Sai Baba from making a speech in Karnatak University. The then VC Dr Adake had invited Sai Baba for a function. However, Sai Baba had to return without making a speech after the agitation by Champa and his friends. Champa also wrote a play 'Burade Baba Kathana', exposing the tricks of godmen. Next year, Champa invited Sri Lankan rationalist and thinker A T Kovoor to Dharwad, and it was a big success.

Champa never hesitated to take on the power centres. Be it chief ministers and ministers, Champa critisised whenever he felt something wrong was happening. In fact, when he was president of Kannada Sahitya Parishat, the annual sammelana was organised at Shivamogga. One of the sessions had journalist Gauri Lankesh, which saw opposition from right-wing activists. When opposition mounted, then CM B S Yediyurappa requested Champa to cancel the session. Champa did not go with Yediyurappa's suggestion and continued with the session. He also gave an open statement against the chief minister, when Yediyurappa threatened to hold grants to the Parishat if the session was not cancelled. "The CM is like a postman to provide funds for the work of Kannada language. Yediyurappa is not giving money from his home," he had said.

His statements attracted both appreciation as well as criticism. Several times, he was opposed by right-wing activists. After the assassination of Prof M M Kalburgi in Dharwad, the government had provided a gunman to Champa, who continued to work till the end.

(As told to Amit S Upadhye)

CRUSADER WHO FOUGHT TO MAKE KANNADA MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION

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BORN in June 1939, at Hattimattur in Haveri district, Chandrashekar Patil served as Professor of English at the Karnatak University, Dharwad, and was also president of the Kannada Sahitya Parishat in 2004. He received many awards including the Karnataka Sahitya Akademi award and Pampa award. Champa was also editor of the popular literary journal 'Sankramana' and had served as chairman of the Kannada Development Authority. In 2017, he presided over the Kannada Sahithya Sammelana held in Mysuru.

Champa was a fierce votary of making Kannada the medium of instruction in primary school. Though he was a post-graduate in English and taught the language in college, he ensured that his children studied in Kannada medium. He had also coined the popular phrase, "Kannada, Kannada, barri Namma Sangada" (Join us to work for Kannada).

Known as a fighter, Champa had taken part in many social and literary movements such as the Gokak agitation, the Bandaya literary movement, the agitation for implementation of the Mandal Commission report and even the farmer's movement. During the Emergency, his street play 'Jagadambeya Beedi Nataka', which was critical of the then PM Indira Gandhi, landed him in prison. When writer and Vachana scholar M M Kalburgi was assassinated, he returned his Pampa award.

Jnanpith awardee Chandrashekar Kambara said, "I have lost a dear friend of many decades. His contribution is unparalleled." Former Sahitya Parishat president Manu Baligar said that during his tenure, he had invited Champa many times and he would always emphasise that Kannada should be given priority and made the medium of instruction in schools.

Some of Champa's poetry works include 'Banuli', 'Madhyabindu,' '19 Kavanagalu', 'Gandhi Smarane', 'Hoovu Hennu Taare', 'Shalmala, Nanna Shalmala' and plays include 'Kodegalu', 'Appa', 'Gurutinavaru', 'Tingara Buddanna', 'Kattala Ratri', and 'Jagadamebeya Beedi Nataka'.

Litterateurs recall the man who never compromised

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SEVERAL personalities from across the state have condoled the demise of Prof Chandrashekhar Patil, known popularly as Champa, recalling some of his impressive literary works. Prof Ashok Shettar, a progressive thinker and author said, he liked the one-act plays which Champa wrote apart from poetry and other literary pieces. "After he returned from Leeds after his higher education, Champa wrote many effective one-act plays which I liked a lot. His plays were more impressive than his poetry as they contained a strong element of nativity and absurdity," he said.

Playwright and artiste, Prof D S Chougale, remembers Champa as a great personality and soul who was committed to fight for a good cause. "Champa would never compromise when it came to issues which were serious in nature and pro-people. Politicians and leaders often feared his straight talk and language," he said.

Litterateur Kum. Veerabhadrappa said Champa has left a lasting impression on many young writers through his p works. "He will not only be remembered for his works, but also for his uncompromising nature and personality," he said.

More than 70 students fell ill after consuming food in which a dead lizard was found at the government higher primary school in Vadekehala in Hanur taluk in Chamarajnagar district on Monday. Doctors said all the children have recovered

Union govt to take call on lockdown after Sankranti

Union Minister says decision after PM's discussion with CMs of all states

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UNION Minister for Tourism G Kishan Reddy said that the Union government would make a fresh assessment of the incidence of Covid-19 after Sankranti and would take a call on whether or not lockdown should be imposed at the national level.

Speaking to the media here on Monday, the Union Minister disclosed that after Sankranti, the Prime Minister will hold talks with all the chief ministers to assess the situation. At present, the Centre has no intention of imposing lockdown but it was watching the unfolding scenario very closely. "In about 11 States, Sankranti is celebrated under various names. If the number of cases goes up phenomenally, the Centre will take an appropriate decision," he said.

The Minister said that at present the States have been given the freedom to take whatever steps they deem fit to arrest the spread of the infection. Already some States have imposed night curfews and similarly Telangana too could take appropriate steps to rein in the pandemic. Even in Delhi, weekend curfew is in force and flights have been suspended.

The minister appealed to the people not to be carried away by rumours about Covid.

Tamil Nadu CM MK Stalin launches Covid booster dose for frontline workers

TN imposes more curbs

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WITH Covid-19 cases on the rise, Tamil Nadu Chief Minister MK Stalin on Monday announced the extension of existing lockdown norms till January 31 and imposed a few more restrictions.

Significantly, places of worship will be closed to public from January 14 to 18, when Pongal is celebrated, and a complete lockdown will be imposed on January 16 (Sunday). While the State has also postponed semester exams indefinitely, Jallikattu events have been permitted for Pongal, with restrictions.

The Chief Minister announced the new restrictions after chairing a high-level meeting and said the curbs aimed to prevent the spread of the coronavirus as health experts had expressed the view that transmission might increase if people crowded at public places during festival days.

The night curfew from 10 pm to 5 am, announced last week, will be in force till January 31. In the interests of people travelling to their native places for Pongal, buses may run at 75 per cent of their full capacity. All other restrictions will continue.

Meanwhile, the State government said Jallikattu and similar events could be conducted during the Pongal festival but only with a maximum of 150 spectators or 50 per cent of the seating capacity, whichever is less.

PLAY STORE BILLING PROBE

K'taka HC disposes of plea by Google India

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THE Karnataka High Court on Monday disposed of the writ petition filed by Google India Pvt Ltd against the Competition Commission of India (CCI), taking note of the joint memo filed by both parties as per their assurance before the court on January 5.

Google India and others had moved the High Court challenging the CCI order on December 14, 2021, pertaining to a probe into the Google Play Store rules. The CCI probe follows a petition filed by Alliance of Digital India Foundation (ADIF), a startup industry body, seeking relief from certain categories of new Play Store policies.

On January 5, 2022, the Additional Solicitor General, representing the CCI, had submitted that the CCI Director General's investigation, pursuant to the order dated November 9, 2020, under Section 26(1) of the CCI Act, is likely to be concluded within 60 days. The CCI, therefore, requested that the writ petition may be disposed of.

In the joint memo, it was also stated that the petitioners will continue to cooperate in the investigation in the pending matters and they will not give effect to the Google Play Billing Policy Clarification until October 31, 2022, in compliance with their assurance to the High Court.

It was also stated that the joint memo should not be construed as a legal or factual admission or waiver by any of the parties and all factual and legal contentions by all parties remain open. The parties are at liberty to file appropriate proceedings in the future.

HC ASKS GOVT FOR LIVE STREAMING INFRA IN SUBORDINATE COURTS

The Karnataka High Court on Monday directed the State Government to provide the required infrastructure for live streaming of proceedings in subordinate courts across the state. A division bench of Chief Justice Ritu Raj Awasthi and Justice Suraj Govindaraj passed the order while disposing two public interest litigations filed by advocate Dilraj Rohit Sequeira. The court said live streaming in subordinate courts will be done in a phased manner for which the State has to provide infrastructure, as per the directions of the Supreme Court. ENS

PANDEMIC-HIT

Hospitality industry seeks infra sector tag

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THE beleaguered hospitality industry has appealed to the government to categorise it under the infrastructure sector for its early revival. The sector has a critical role to play in the post pandemic economic revival and has been announced as the fourth pillar of the Indian economy.

In the pre-budget expectations to the government, the Hotel Association of India (HAI) has submitted detailed suggestions to the Finance Ministry on some easily doable policy reforms, which will greatly help the industry to revive and enable it to flourish in the long run.

"Policy interventions are imperative for the sector's survival and its early and quick re-bound to normalcy. According hotels the status of 'infrastructure' will resolve a large number of the issues being faced by hotels and hospitality companies," the HAI stated in an official release on Monday.

"It is critical to protect the industry during such prolonged periods of flip flop in business prospects. Granting hotels the status of 'infrastructure' will also help them survive operationally and encourage investments in the sector. Access to softer funding, longer periods to repay loans, resultant shortening of the gestation period will make hotel investments more attractive and sustainable," the association added.

CAMPUS POLITICS CLAIMS LIFE; VIOLENT PROTESTS BREAK OUT ACROSS KERALA

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THE ugly consequence of campus politics reared its head again in the state on Monday with Dheeraj Rajasekharan, an SFI activist and seventh-semester student of Government Engineering College, Painavu, succumbing to stab injuries received in a clash with Youth Congress workers.

While Dheeraj (21), a native of Palakulangara near Thaliparamba in Kannur, died on the spot, the condition of two other SFI workers -- T Abhijith, a Kollam native, and Amal B of Thrissur -- remains stable, police said. Both are undergoing treatment at Idukki Medical College Hospital.

Nikhil Paily, a local Youth Congress leader and a resident of Maniyarankudy, was arrested in connection with the murder, and another Youth Congress worker Jerin Joji was taken into custody in the case. Paily has confessed the crime, according to the latest reports. Four other KSU workers were also arrested in the case.

Tension prevailed on the college campus following the stabbing of a student

The clash between KSU and SFI occurred at around 1 pm when the students went for lunch after the polling in the college elections. A 15-member group of Youth Congress workers was camping at the college gate area outside the campus. SFI workers questioned their presence and chased them. Police said after reaching the bridge connecting the district panchayat and a museum here, located 100 meters away from the college, the Yough Congress workers turned back and attacked the SFI activists with knives, resulting in the murder.

Within hours of the murder of engineering student Dheeraj Rajasekharan in Idukki, violent incidents were reported from different parts of the state as protest marches organised by SFI workers turned out to be forums for revenge attacks. Around 10 KSU workers, including a girl, sustained injuries as SFI workers beat them up at Maharajas College, Ernakulam, in the afternoon. Offices of the Congress and its feeder organisations were attacked widely in Kannur district.

6 die as lorry topples on 3 vehicles

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SIX people, including two women, were killed after a lorry fell on the two cars and a two-wheeler in Kumbalgod on the busy Mysuru-Bengaluru highway, on Monday evening. Rash driving by the lorry driver is said to be the reason for the mishap.

The deceased have been identified as Nikita Rani, Veenamma, Indra Kumar, Keerthi Kumar, Jitin B George, and TJ Jayaprakash. While Nikita Rani, Veenamma, Indra Kumar, and Keerthi Kumar, were travelling in a car, Jayaprakash, an employee of an automobile company was in the other car. George, who hails from Kerala, was going on his two-wheeler.

The incident occurred at 6.15 pm when a lorry laden with tons of crushed stones allegedly hit a divider. As the driver lost control, the lorry fell on the two cars and a bike moving next to it. Due to the impact, four sitting in a car and the biker were killed on the spot, while Jayaprakash, who was in the other car, died on the way to a hospital. Police said 3-4 others have sustained injuries in the incident.

Due to the accident, traffic on the busy road came to a standstill. The Kumbalgod police rushed to the spot while a crane was pressed into service to remove vehicles involved in the accident from the road. A case has been registered.

Passersby try to rescue survivours from a car on which a tipper lorry toppled over on Mysuru-Bengaluru highway on Monday

CRIME PATROL

2 cops in the dock for 'stealing' red sanders

Bengaluru: Two policemen are in the dock for allegedly stealing red sanders that were being smuggled. Police sources said the incident took place on December 15 last year. A police officer said Mohan Kumar and Mamtesh Gowda, both head constables, stopped a vehicle that was carrying red sanders on Chintamani-Hoskote Road, along with two others. "They allegedly assaulted the driver and took him away in a swift car, while the vehicle was driven away by their accomplices," the officer said. "Investigations revealed that Kumar and Gowda were involved. While the Hoskote police are probing the matter, a report has been sought by the SP of Bengaluru district," the officer added. ENS

OUTRAGE

Actor's nasty tweet on Saina lands him in big trouble

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SNARKY social media posts, especially if they are double entendres, can land you in serious trouble. Actor Siddharth finds himself at the receiving end after his nasty tweet against badminton ace Saina Nehwal's post condemning the recent lapse in security when Prime Minister Narendra Modi was in Punjab.

The National Commission for Women on Monday came down on him like a ton of bricks by taking suo motu cognisance of the matter and wrote to Twitter asking it to block his account. Parallelly, it wrote to the Maharashtra Police directing it to register an FIR against him under relevant sections, saying his remarks were lewd, inappropriate and misogynist.

It all began on Wednesday last, when Modi's convoy was blocked by protesting farmers in Punjab. Saina, who is also a member of the BJP, tweeted: "No nation can claim itself to be safe if the security of its own PM gets compromised. I condemn, in the strongest words possible, the cowardly attack on PM Modi by anarchists. #BharatStandsWithModi #PMModi."

Siddharth's's acidic comment came a day later: "Subtle cock champion of the world... Thank God we have protectors of India. Folded hands. Shame on you #Rihanna."

His tweet on Thursday started getting amplified on Monday with several politicians and members of the film fraternity condemning it.

Saina's husband Parupalli Kashyap said, "This is upsetting for us. Express ur opinion but choose better words man." But Siddharth kept defending the indefensible. "COCK & BULL" That's the reference. Reading otherwise is unfair and leading! Nothing disrespectful was intended, said or insinuated. Period," he tweeted on Monday.

His troubles may have just begun.

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MEDICAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
Satpura Bhawan, 6th floor, M.P. Bhopal
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No.12/4/PG/CME/2022 Bhopal, dated 07.01.2022

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Information regarding last date of registration and counseling schedule M.P. State Combined Counseling NEET P.G. 2021-22

This is for information to all eligible candidates of NEET P.G. 2021-22 that the last date of Registration for participating in M.P. State combined counseling is **11.01.2022 (12.00 midnight).** Detail counseling schedule for 1st round of counseling is available on DME website **www.medicaleducation.mp.gov.in** and also on designated portal **https://dme.mponline.gov.in.**

Candidates are advised to remain in touch with D.M.E. & M.P. Online website regularly for updates. No separate advertisement will be published regarding any change.

Sd/-
Director of Medical Education
Madhya Pradesh

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PANCHAYAT RAJ & DRINKING WATER DEPARTMENT
GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
OFFICE OF THE Superintending ENGINEER, RWS&S DIVISION, Nabarangpur
Tel: (06858) 222643, E-Mail: eerwss_ngp@rediffmail.com / eerwssngp@gmail.com
INVITATION FOR BIDS
No. RWSS_NGP_ONLINE_14/ 2021-22 DATED: - 05/01/2022

O-1703: The Superintending Engineer RWS&S Division Nabarangpur on behalf of Govt. Of Odisha invites percentage rate - bid through E-procurement in Single cover system according to norm of E-procurement system in on-line mode.

1. Name of Works : As mentioned in Table "A" which includes Construction of different capacity ESR/OGR laying of pipe line , FHTC ,Five year O&M Cost and its ancillary work in commissioned & New pipe water supply scheme of different Block in the Nabarangpur District.
2. No. of Works : **05(Five)Nos (Detailed in Tender Call Notice available in the website)**
3. Estimated Cost : As mentioned in Table "A"
4. Tender Paper Cost : As mentioned in Table "A"
5. Class of Contractor : As mentioned in Table "A"
6. Period of Completion : 180 Days

7. Critical Dates : * Further details can be seen in the bidding documents, which is available in the e-procurement portal **https://www.tendersorissa.gov.in**, * Subsequent corrigendum if required shall be appeared in the web site., *Authority reserves the right to reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason thereof.

Procurement Officer	Bid Identification No.	Availability of Tender online for Bidding		Last Date of seeking tender Clarification	Last date of receipt of confirmation letter & other documents.	Date of opening of Bid
		From	To			
Superintending Engineer, RWSS Division, Nabarangpur	RWSS_NGP_ONLINE_14 of 2021-22	18.01.2022 at 11.00AM	25.01.2022 at 05.00PM	24.01.2022 up to 5.30 PM	25.01.2022 up to 03.30PM.	27.01.2022 at 11.00 A.M.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer, RWS&S Division, Nabarangpur OIPR-25028/11/0016/2122

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
OFFICE OF THE ADDITIONAL CHIEF ENGINEER, RWSS CIRCLE, KORAPUT
e:mail-acerwsskpt@gmail.com, Ph: No.(06852) 2506401 (Off)

National Competitive Bidding through E-Procurement
Tender Identification No. 04/ACE/RWSS/KPT/2021-22/10.01.2022

O-1704: The Additional Chief Engineer, RWS&S Circle, Koraput on behalf of the Governor of Odisha invites percentage Rate Bids in Double cover (P1 contract) from the eligible class of experienced registered contractors through e-Tendering system for the Piped water supply works as detailed in DTCN. The bid should be submitted on-line in the webiste **www.tendersorissa.gov.in** separately for the works.

1.	Nature of work	Rural piped water supply work(Civil)
2.	Estimated Cost	Varies from 271.90 lakhs to 343.77 lakhs
3.	No. of works	**05 nos.**
4.	Tender cost	Rs. 10000.00
5.	Class of Contractor	**"B", "A" & Special Class**
6.	Availability of Bid document in the web site.	**Dt. 24.01.2022 17 hours to 03.02.2022 17 hours.**
7.	Date of Seeking clarification	During the officer hours of 24.01.2022 to 01.02.2022
8.	Date of Opening of Bid	**Dt. 04.02.2022 at 11 hours**

Further details can be seen in the bidding documents which is available in the e-procurement portal **https://www.tendersorissa.gov.in** . Subsequent corrigendum if required shall be appeared in the web site. Authority reserves the right to reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason thereof.

Sd/- Additional Chief Engineer, RWSS Circle, Koraput OIPR-25178/11/0002/2122

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, RWS&S DIVISION, KENDRAPARA.
At : Ichhapur, Post: Shree Baladevjew, Email: eerwsskendrapara@gmail.com
INVITATIONS FOR BIDS (IFB) [e-Procurement]

O-1683 Bid Identification No. RWS/ 98 / 2021-2022 Letter No. 196 / Dated 06/01/22

1 The Executive Engineer, RWS&S Division, Kendrapara on behalf of Governor of Odisha invites lump sum bid in **DOUBLE** cover system in **ONLINE MODE** from eligible contractors for Rural Piped Water Supply Schemes in Kendrapara District.

2 Name of the work : Execution of 70 LPCD RPWS Scheme to **Rajnagar** and **Syamasunderpur** under Derabish Block on Clubbed up mode in Kendrapara District.
3 No. of Work : **01 (One) No. on Clubbed Up Mode**
4 Value of the Work : **₹ 311.55 Lakhs**
5 Concerned tender inviting authority : **Executive Engineer, RWS&S Division, Kendrapara**
6 Security amount (Rs.) **(Online)** : Nil
7 Cost of Bid documents (Rs.) (Online) : **₹ 10000/-**
8 Class of Bidder : **"A" and "Specials" Class**
9 Period of Completion : **330 days**
10 Availability of bid documents in the website : From date. 29.01.2022 at 10.00 A.M to date. 18.02.2022 till 5.30 P.M
11 Last Date & Time of seeking tender clarification : Up to 02.02.2022 till 5.30 P.M
12 Date of Opening of Bid : On **date. 19.02.2022 at 11.00 A.M.**

The bidders have to participate in the tender through **ONLINE** bidding only. Further details can be had from the website i.e http://tendersorissa.gov.in. Subsequent corrigendum / addendum if required shall only be appeared in the above website.

Sd/- (Er. B.N. Nayak) Executive Engineer
RWS&S Division, Kendrapara OIPR- 25004/11/0040/2122

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER, CENTRAL RURAL WORKS CIRCLE, BHUBANESWAR
Phone- 0674-2540742 Email- se_ccrw@yhoo.co.in

No. 121 / Date:-10.01.2022
O-1707 **"e" Procurement Notice for Road Works**

1.	Name of the Work	:	Road works
2.	Total No. of Packages	:	03 Nos. of roads
3.	Estimated Cost of the Package	:	Varies from Rs. 133.18 lakhs to Rs. 539.78 lakhs
4.	Class of Contractor	:	
	a) Estimated cost more than Rs. 40.00 lakhs up to Rs. 3.00 Crores.	:	**B Class & A class** (of Odisha PWD) or relevant class of other licensing authorities
	b) Estimated cost more than Rs. 3.00 Crores Up to Rs. 6.00 Crores	:	**A Class & Special class** (of Odisha PWD) or relevant class of other licensing authorities
	c) Estimated cost more than Rs. 6.00 Crores up to Rs. 15.00 Crores		**Special Class & Super class** (of Odisha PWD) or relevant class of other licensing authorities
5.	Period of completion	:	09(Nine) months for works costing less than Rs.3.00 Crores 11 (Eleven) months for the works costing from Rs.3.00 Crores, to Rs.5.00 Crores
6.	Offered rates by bidder	:	The offered rate by the contractor shall be excluding GST.
7.	Other details	:	

Procurement Officer	Bid Identification No.	Availability of Tender on-line for bidding		Date & Time of opening of tender	
		From	To	Technical Bid	Financial Bid
1	2	3	4	5	6
Chief Construction Engineer, Central Rural Works Circle, Bhubaneswar	Tender-Online-C.C.02 of 2022	17.01.2022 at 11.00 AM	31.01.2022 Up to 5.00 PM	01.02.2022 at 11.00 AM	To be intimated lateron

Further details can be seen from the web site www.tendersorissa.gov.in
Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer
Central Rural Works Circle, Bhubaneswar OIPR- 25082/11/0051/2122

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PUBLIC NOTICE

I, the under signed bring to the notice of the general public that my clients namely Ashwath .V S/o C. Venkataswamy and V. Sheshadri S/o C. Venkataswamy, both are R/at Kempanayakanahalli Village, Bannerugatta Post, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore - 560083, they have intent to purchase residential site bearing No.10, Kaneshumari No.388, property No.225/1, measuring to an extent of East to West 30 feet's, North to South 40 feet's, totally measuring 1200 square feet's, out of East to West 60 feet's North to South 40 feet's totally measuring 2400 square feet's, situated at Bannerugatta Village and Panchayath, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, from Chellappa .M S/o Muniswamappa, R/of Bannerugatta Village and Post, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore-560083 if anybody having any right, title, interest, much less possession over the above said property, please contact the undersigned below within 7 days.

V. Giri Kumar, Advocate
No.39/2, Chamber, No.65, 5th Floor,
A.S.V.N.V Bhavana, Opp Mysore Bank, K.G.Road,
Bangalore - 560009. Ph: 9141348483, 9880661933

PUBLIC NOTICE

I, Sri. C. Srinivas S/o late Chikkakondappa, R/at Veerabhadranapalya, Chaithnya Nagara, Doddaballapur Town & Tq, Bangalore Rural Dist-561203 inform to the public that.

The Registered Document vide Register no: 1778/1994-95 of Book 1, Volume No.1932 and pages 50-53 which is Registered in Sub Register Office of Doddaballapur Taluk Office sale deed.

If the above Documents found in any moments please inform to the above person/address or the Advocate Office address viz, **A Prashanth,** Advocate, #3755, Deshadapet, Doddaballapur-561203, or inform with this mobile No.9916917735.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my Client **Sri. Vinay Kumar,** son of K.B.Ramakrishnappa, R/at Byranahalli village, T.Begur Post, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural district Phone No.9620556699 having interest and Intending to Purchase the below mentioned Schedule of Property

Item No.1 : Sy. No.34/12, Measuring 15 guntas, Situated at Marohalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural district and Bounded on : **East by** : Sy.No.32 Rangaswamy and Srinivas, **West by**: Sy.No.34/11 Vinay Kumar, **North by** : Sy.No.33 Hanumanthaiah, **South by** : Sy.No.31 and Halla

Item No.2 Sy.No.34/14, measuring 10 guntas, situated at marohalli village, kasaba hobli Nelamangala taluk, Bangalore rural district and bounded on : **East by** : Sy No. 34/10 Harshitha, **West by** : Sy No.34/20 Vinay kumar, **North by** : Sy.No.13 Chikkegowda, **South by** : Sy No. 31 and halla,

From its owner **Mr. Manjunatha,** son of late Bylappa and Gowramma, aged about 25 Years, R/at T.Begur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural district.

With respect to above specified immovable properties and its owner, if the persons having any right, interest, possession over the schedule properties may lodge their objection /claims with documentary evidence within **10 days** from the date of publication to the undermentioned.

K. N. GANGADHARA, Advocate,
5740/5, Jakkasandra Road, Near Govt. Junior College, Nelamangala - 562123, Mob: 9964249372, 9035198730.

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DEMAND NOTICE [SECTION 13(2)] TO BORROWER/ GUARANTOR/MORTGAGOR

NOTICE ISSUED UNDER SECTION 13(2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002

'We, **Canara Bank, Tilaknagar Bangalore 0470 Branch,** had issued Demand Notices under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Security Interest Act 2002 by Registered Post with Acknowledgment Due (RPAD) to the addresses furnished to the Bank as mentioned below. Since the notice has not been acknowledgement returned due to non-availability of addressees at the said addresses / due to evading of service of the notice sent by RPAD, notice could not be served. Further, Bank had served the said demand notice by affixture at the addresses given. The contents of the said notices are mentioned herein below.

Name and Address of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Mortgagor /Guarantor: 1) Borrower/s: 1) Mrs. M. R. Shakirabanu, No. 757 28th Main, 31st Cross, 4th T Block, Tilak nagar Bengaluru-560041. **2) M/s Shazia Rice Corner, Prop Mr. S. Habibur Rehman,** No. 757, 28th Main, 31st Cross, 4th T Block, Tilak Nagar Bengalore-560041. **3) M/s H M S Distribution, Prop: M.R. ShakiraBanu,** No.15/1, 3rd Main Tilak Nagar, SRK Garden Bengaluru-560041. **Guarantor: 1) Mr Habibur Rehaman** No.15/1, 3rd Main, Tilak Nagar, SRK Garden, Bengaluru-560041. **2) Mrs. M R Shakira Banu,** No.757, 28th Main, 31st Cross, 4th Block, Tilak Nagar Bengaluru-560041. **3) Mr. N V Srinavsu,** No.904, 32nd Cross, 4th T Block, Jayanagar Bengalore-560041

[Details of the credit facility/ies availed by the Borrower]

Loan No.	Nature of Loan/Limit	Date of Sanction	Limit Amount	Liability With Interest As On Date	Rate of Interest
04709830 000031	Mortgage Loan	14-08-2017	13,50,000.00	14,48,242,10/-	10.20%
04707730 000015	Mortgage Loan	05-02-2013	5,00,000.00	5,02,242.18	8.80%
04701400 000359	Mortgage Loan	28-12-2017	20,00,000.00	25,54,792.92	11.70%
04701400 000363	Mortgage Loan	03-07-2017	30,00,000.00	26,90,800.00	10.25%
04707630 0000424	Housing Loan	06-02-2016	3,50,000.00	1,51,650.12	13.65%

Total Liability Amount: Rs 73,47,727,32/- (Rupees Seventy Three Lakh Forty Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty Seven and Paisa Thirty Two Only) with interest thereon.

NPA Date : 02.05.2019 **Demand Notice Dated : 31.12.2021**

Description of the Immovable Property: All that Piece and Parcel of portion of the property bearing old No. 757 Situated at 4th East Hutting Colony Jayanagar Bangalore Now New BBMP No 56 in 30th B Cross Tilak Nagar Corp Division No 60 BBMP Ward No. 60 PID No.60-76-56 Bangalore, East to West 30 Feet North to South 20 Feet in all measuring 600sq. feet and Bounded on the; East Site No. 756, West: Rao, North: Private Property No. 718, South: Road.

You are here by called upon to pay **Canara Bank,** within a period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, the respective amount mentioned here above, failing which **Canara Bank** will take necessary action under the provisions of the said Act, against the secured assets including taking possession of the secured assets of the Borrowers and the Guarantors. The powers available to **Canara Bank** under the Act include (i) power to take possession of the secured assets of the Borrower / Guarantors / Mortgager including the rights to transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale for realising secured assets and any transfer of secured assets by **Canara Bank** shall vest in the transferee rights in or in relation to, the secured asset transferred as if the transfer has been made by you. In terms of the provisions of section 13(13) of the said Act, you are hereby prohibited from transferring, either by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of your business), any of the secured assets as referred to in the Demand Notice affixed and also Hypothecated / Mortgaged to the bank without prior written consent of the Bank. The notice is issued in terms of Section (13)2 of the said Act.

Date : 10.01.2022 **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place : Bengaluru **Canara Bank**

KERALA WATER AUTHORITY - e-Tender Notice

Tender No : 42-44/2021-22/PHC/KNR. NABARD - Kottiyoor, Kelakam and Kanichar Panchayath. Supply and erection of 315KVA Transformer and Pumpsets at Intake well-Package-V, KIIFB Trans 2-WRD 005-131 – Replacement of transmission mains from Kotheri GL tank to Vayanthode junction & Jal Jeevan Mission - Kannur District – WSS to Panniyannur, Panoor and Mokeri Phase III-Common gravity main from GLSR at Valiyavelicham to sump at Pathippalam WTP. EMD : Rs. 50000-100000. Tender fee: Rs. 5600-8400. Last Date for submitting Tender : **27-01-2022 02:00:pm**. Phone : 04972705902. Website : **www.kwa.kerala.gov.in**, **www.etenders.kerala.gov.in.**

KWA-JB-GL-6-870-2021-22 Superintending Engineer, PH Circle, Kannur

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Milma Bhavan, Pattom P.O, Thiruvananthapuram-695004
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E TENDER FOR DAIRY CONSUMABLES

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Bids are invited through e-tenders from interested Bidders for supply of **Dairy Consumables/ice cream packing materials** for our Dairies. e-tenders are hosted in **www.etenders.kerala.gov.in.** Last date for submission of bids is 28.01.2022. For more details, log on to **www.etenders.kerala.gov.in** or **www.milma.com**

Managing Director.

Repco Home Finance Limited

HOSUR BRANCH: No.23/1, Nishal Towers, 2nd Floor, Near New Bus Stand, Byepass Road, Hosur-635109

NOTICE TO THE BORROWERS / GUARANTORS

Borrower: Mr.Nagaraj Reddy, S/o Narasimha Reddy, Door No.15,16,17th Cross, Near Aleance Business Academy NS Palya, Bangalore South Bilekhalli, Bangalore, 560076. Also at, No: 44/3, Ward No: 65, BBMP PID No: 176-W0297-22, Nainappa Settypalaya, 17th Cross, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore - 560076 Near Swadishta Aahar Shop. Also at, Building Contractor, No-15, 6th A Cross, 2nd Main Vijay Nagar, Bangalore-560040. **Co-Borrower: Mrs M Punitha,** W/o Nagaraj Reddy, Door No.15, 16, 17th cross, Near Aleance Business Academy NS Palya, Bangalore South Bilekhalli, Bangalore-560076 Also at, No: 44/3, Ward No: 65, BBMP PID No: 176-W0297-22, Nainappa Setty Palaya, 17th Cross, Begur Hobli, Bangalore 560076 Near Swadishta Aahar Shop. **Guarantor-I (Loan A/c No. HSR1977): Mr Babu,** S/o Rama Reddy, No 4 27A, Periya Pennangur, Denkanikottai, Hosur Krishnagiri -635107 Also at SLN Transport, No 6, Periya Bennangur, Bennangur Post, Mallasandram, Denkanikottai, Hosur Krishnagiri-635107. **Guarantor-II (Loan A/c No. HSR2129): Mr.L.Venkatachalam,** S/o Lakshmana, No-82, 7th Main Pushpa Layout, NS Palya BTM 2nd stage, Bangalore-560076 Also at No.82, 7th Main, 19th Cross, BTM Layout 2nd stage, Bangalore-560076

Dear Sirs,

Sub: Notice U/S 13(2) of The Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

As you are aware, the Company had sanctioned a Loan to you as per details given below:

Loan Limit	**1.Loan A/c Nos.1361860001977 & 1361816002129** dated **27.06.2016 & 22.03.2017** for **₹ 50,00,000/- & ₹ 50,00,000/-**was sanctioned under the scheme of **Construction of House & Commercial Real Estate**
Amount Outstanding	₹ **53,19,046/- & ₹ 49,28,041/-** respectively with further interest from **03.12.2021** onwards and other costs thereon

As a security for the repayment of the said loan to **Repco Home Finance Limited,** you have executed a Loan Agreement and also created, an equitable mortgage by deposit of title deeds of the property detailed herein below:

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of property bearing House List.No.15 & 16, Old Khatha No.44/3, BBMP PID No.176-W0297-22, situated at Nainappa Setty Palya, 17th C then 19 th D Cross, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Ward No.65, measuring an extent of East to West : 40 feet and North to South : 60 feet totally measuring an extent of 2400 sq.ft together with the building and building to be constructed there on along with exiting three storied RCC roofed residential building thereon with all civil amenities and bounded as follows: East By : Site No.14, West By : Road, North By : Property belongs to Mr.Kempanna, South By : Site No.17 In the midst above said land.

Since you have defaulted in repayment of the loan, you are liable to pay the additional interest also. **The Company issued notice under the Act on 07.12.2021** calling upon you to repay the outstanding amount of **₹ 53,19,046/- & ₹ 49,28,041/-** with further interest from **03.12.2021** onwards and other costs thereon. **The notice sent to you by Regd. Post. with Ack. Due.**

We regret to note that you have committed defaults in the repayment of loan and committed serious irregularities in the operation of the account. **We have Classified your account as Non-Performing Asset on 30.01.2021** you are liable to pay the amount mentioned above.

We hereby call upon you, to pay the aforesaid amount due **within 60 (SIXTY) days from the date of this notice,** failing which the Company shall take over the possession of secured assets mortgaged to us under the power conferred to us under the Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, wherein the **Repco Home Finance Limited**, is empowered to take possession of the secured assets including the right to transfer by way of lease, assignment of sale, take over the management of the secured assets, appoint any person to manage the secured assets from you and adjust the above sale proceeds towards the debt due from you.

We draw your attentions to Sec 13 (8) of the Securitisation Act as per which, no further steps shall be taken for transfer or sale of the secured asset, if the dues of the secured creditor together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by secured creditor are tendered by you at anytime before the date fixed for sale or transfer of the secured asset.

Authorised Officer
Date: 07.12.2021 **Repco Home Finance Ltd.**

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ICICI Bank **Branch Office:** ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

Notice U/s. 13(2) of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 is being issued by ICICI Bank Ltd. (on underlying pool assigned to ICICI Bank by Dewan Housing Finance Ltd.) in relation to the enforcement of security in respect of a housing loan facility granted pursuant to a loan agreement entered into between DHFL and the following borrower(s) who have defaulted in repayment of principal and interest of loans facility obtained by them from secured creditor and loans have been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). A notice was issued to them on their last known addresses, however, it has returned un-served and hence, they are hereby notified by way of this public notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower / Co-Borrower / Guarantor / Loan Account Number (DHFL Old LAN & ICICI New LAN) & Address	Property Address of Secured Asset / Asset tobe Enforced	Date of Notice Sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	Sumed Tare/ Ashwini Chandrashekar Uppin- 131 C O Narayana Reddy, Kadagrahara, Sompura Gate Sarjapura Road, Nr Sarjapura Main Road, Karnataka Bangalore- 562125/ QZNJY00005034949/ DHFL LAN- 21400043892/ ICICI LAN- QZNJY00005034949.	(As described in the Loan document/ property document covering Flat No Ds 60 2nd Floor, Block D Ittena Neela Appt, Andhapura Vill Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk Bangalore)	June 19, 2021 Rs. 10,08,917.00	31/01/ 2021

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above borrower/s and/or their guarantors (as applicable) are advised to make the payments of outstanding within period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice else further steps will be taken as per the provisions of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

Date : January 11, 2022 **Authorized Officer**
Place: Bangalore **ICICI Bank Limited**

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that, my client viz. Sri Muniswamappa, son of Pilla Muniyappa, resident of No.1, Bhumi Krupa Nilaya, 2nd Cross, Someshwara nagar, G.K.V.K. Post, Bengaluru - 560 065, is intending to purchase the schedule property from the owner of the said property Sri A.N. Rajesh, son of S.M. Narayanappa along with his family members and accordingly entered into registered agreement of sale on 27/08/ 2019 vide document No. YAN-105299-2019-20, Book - I, stored in CD No. YAND.846 in the office of the Senior Sub-Registrar, Yelahanka, Bengaluru. Now my client is now intending to get the registered sale deed from them in pursuance of the said registered agreement of sale.

If anybody has any objection/s for getting the registered sale deed for the same, may raise any objection for the same with documentary proof If any objection/s are received within 7 days from the date of publication, my client will proceed in getting the registered sale deed from the aforesaid persons.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of portion of Southern side of the property bearing No.47/47, katha No.323/47/47, within the limits of B.B.M.P., Srirampura Village, Yelahanka Hobli and Taluk, Bengaluru North Taluk, measuring East to West 65 feet and North to South 62 feet and the same is bounded on the:

East by : Sri Seenappa property, **West by :** Road, **North by :** remaining portion of same property sold to others, **South by :** property of Royal Enclave.

K. RAME GOWDA, Advocate
No.14, 2nd Floor Sajjappa Plaza,
R.T. Street, Avenue Road,
Bengaluru-560 053. Mobile: 9980021417
Date: 10/01/2022

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SALE NOTICE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES THROUGH E-AUCTION

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 read with provision to rule 8(6) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to Borrower that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the secured Creditor, the symbolically/constructive/ Possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer (details mentioned below), will be sold on **"As is Where is", "As is What is" and "Whatever there is"** basis on **11.02.2022** at the below mentioned timings for recovery of dues with further interest and cost thereon due to The Bangalore City Co Operative Bank Ltd. Administrative office .

The Details are as under : Reserve price and Earnest money deposits details are as under & the Earnest money deposit shall be deposited on or before **10.02.2022** At **5 :00** PM, through online payments Like **RTGS/NEFT** to the account No. details of which are given below or by way of DD in favouring The Bangalore City Co Operative Bank Ltd, Administrative office.

Sl No	Name of the Borrower, address & Branch Name	Description of property & Boundaries & Measurement	Reserve Price	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Amount of Secured debt from Date	Date & time of Auction
1.	**Sri. B.W. Shafi Ahmed & Smt. Shataj Shafi Ahmed No.101, 4th Cross, RBI Extension, 3rd Block East, Bengaluru-11. Branch : JAYANAGAR**	**No.7/12, 15th Main Road, Rastrakavi Kuvempu Nagar, BBMP Ward No. 65 of BTM Layout, PID No. 65-102-7-12, Bengaluru. East to West: 40 feet & North to South: 30 feet East by : Road, West by : Property No. 142 North by : Property No. 156 South by : Property No. 158**	**Rs. 1,32,60,000/- (in words One Crore Thirty Two Lakhs Sixty Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 13,26,000/- (in words Thirteen Lakhs Twenty Six Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 99,93,146/- & 06.01.2022**	**11.02.2022 10 : 00 AM To 11 :00 AM**
2.	**Sri. Arun Kumar. K.S** No.921,22nd Main, 38th Cross, 4th T Block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru-560 041. **Branch : Padmanabhanagar**	**Property bearing Site No.74, 6th Block, 6th Stage, Banashankari, Bengaluru East to West : 18 Mtrs & North to South : 12 Mtrs East by : Site No. 67, West by : Road North by : Site No. 75, South by : Site No. 73**	**Rs. 65,73,000/- Rs. (Sixty Five Lakhs Seventy Three Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 6,57,300/- Rs. (Six Lakhs Fifty Seven Thousand Three Hundred Only)**	**Rs. 60,89,379/- & 05.01.2022**	**11.02.2022 11 : 00 AM To 12 :00 PM**
3.	**Sri. Ravindra. N No. 224, 2nd Cross, Ramaiah Layout, Kalyan Nagar, Hormavu Agara, Bengaluru-43 Branch : HRBR Layout**	**Khaneshumari No. 132, House List Khatha No. 244/132, Sy No. 151/1, BBMP Old Khatha No. 132/1, Present Khatha No. 244, BBMP Ward No. 25 of Horamavu, Horamavu Agara Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, Bengaluru. East to West : 83.6 + 88.4 feet / 2 & North to South : 32.11 + 30.10 feet / 2 East by : Property belongs to R. Venkatesh West by : Property belongs to Srinivasa North by : Property belongs to R. Venkatesh South by : Road**	**Rs. 1,45,00,000/- Rs. (One Crore Forty Five Lakhs Only)**	**Rs. 14,50,000/- Rs. (Fourteen Lakhs Fifty Thousand Only)**	**Rs. 1,28,83,775/- & 05.01.2022**	**11.02.2022 12 : 00 PM To 01 :00 PM**

Last date of deposit of EMD: 10.02.2022, Before 5 : 00 PM	**Bank Name & Account Details for Remitting EMD/IFSC Code:**
Date & time of inspection: 07.02.2022, 10 : 00 AM to 5: 00 PM	**BANK NAME : Indusand Bank BRANCH: The Bangalore City Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,**
Bid Factors: Rs. 50,000/-	**Head office Branch A/c No. 000220105013061, IFSC Code – INDB0BCCB02**

(The borrower /mortgagor attention is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured asset). **This Notice shall also serve as Notice under Sub Rule (6) of Rule (8) of Security Interest Enforcement Rules-2002 to the Borrower. For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to link in The Bangalore City Co Operative Bank Ltd. Website ie. ,www.bccbl.co.in under the head "Mortgaged Assets for Sale".** The E-auction will be conducted through portal https://bankauctions.in, on **11.02.2022** from **10.00. AM to 1.00 PM** with unlimited extension of **05** minutes. The intending bidder is required to register their name at https://bankauctions.in/ and get the user Id and password free of cost and get training i.e. *online training on* ***E-auction*** **(tentatively on 10.02.2022) from M/s 4 Closure, Mr. Prakash Reddy & Mr. Bhaskar (Asst. Manager), No.22, 5th Cross, Gurumahal Extension, Opp. Indian Hotel, K.G. Halli, Jalahalli (West), Bengaluru-560015 Mobile No: 9515160061/9515160062, E-mail: prakash@bankauctions.in & bhaskar@bankauctions.in**. For More details contact bccbrec2021@gmail.com Mobile Number : 080-26600512, 26609066 & 9342781425.

Date: 10.01.2022 **Sd/- AUTHORISED OFFICER**
Place: Bengaluru **THE BANGALORE CITY CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED**

PUBLIC NOTICE

ICICI Bank **Branch Office:** ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

The following borrower/s have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loans facility obtained by them from the Bank and the loans have been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). A notice was issued to them under Section 13 (2) of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act-2002 on their last known addresses, however it was not served and hence they are hereby notified by way of this public notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ (Loan Account Number) & Address	Property Address of Secured Asset / Asset to be Enforced	Date of Notice Sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	Vijaya Bhaskar Reddy Gurram/ Surekha Gurram-101, 1st Floor, Sy No's 115/ 1, 116 to 121,122/1,2,124/1,3,125 & 131/1,3 Kundalahalli Village, Sy Nos 39 to 43, Chinnappanahalli,k P Puram Hobli, Sy. No. 8&73,Tubarahalli,Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore-560043/ LBGTR00001720513	All That Piece And Parcel of The Immovable Property Bearing Site No.274, Comprised In Sy.nos.115/1,116 To 121, 122/1, 2. 124/1, 3, 125 And 131/1, 3 of Kundalahalli, Sy. Nos.39 To 43 of Chinnappanahalli, K.R. Puram Hobli, Sy. Nos.8 And 73, of Tubarahalli, Varthuru Hobli, Earlier Bangalore South Taluk, Presently Bangalore East Taluk, Earlier Within The Limits of City Municipal Council, Mahadevapura, Presently Under The Administrative Jurisdiction of Bbmp, In The Layout Formed By The Aircraft Employees Co- operative Society Ltd, A Layout Approved By The B.D.A. as Per order Dated 3/7/1987, No. TPM/ DD (W)/ 206/1987-88. Measuring East To West 40 Feet, North to South 60 Feet Totally Measuring 2400 Sq.feet. And Bounded On The East By: Site No.275; West By: Site No.273; North By : Site No.243; South By : Road; Schedule "B" 293.85 Sq. Feet Undivided Right. Title And Interest In The Immovable Property Mentioned In Schedule "A" Above. Schedule "C" Flat Bearing No.101, in First Floor. Measuring About 1031 Sq. Ft. Super Built Up Area Containing Two Bed Rooms. Together With R.C.C Roofing, Ceramic Flooring Together With One Covered Car Parking Space Including Proportionate Share in Common Areas Such as Passages, Lobbies, Staircase, Etc., in The Multi Storied Residential Building Known as " Sri Vari Enclave" Constructed Over Schedule "A" Property	30.08.2021 Rs. 28,12,306.00/-	10.06. 2021
2.	C R K Jithendra/ CH Sathiah- G- 3, Ground Floor, Plot No: 66 & 75, Jayabheri Park, Sy No: 147, Kompally (V) & GP Quthbullapur (M), RR Dist Hy Derabad-500854/ LBHYD00001761615	Plot Nos. 66 and 75 Total Area 533.32 Sq. Yards or 445.85 Sq. Mtrs Survey No.147 Jayabheri Park Village & Gram Panchayat Kompally Mandal Quthbullapur Sub- Dist: Medchal, Dist. And Regn. Dist: Ranga Reddy A.p. Bounded By: North: By Plot Nos.67 And 74 South: By Plot No. 65 And 76 East : By 30' Wide Road West: By 30' Wide Road Schedule 'B' Property Semi- Finished Flat No: G- 3 in Ground Floor Plinth Area 1,450 Sft, (including Common Area) Car Parking Area of 80 Sft. Undivided Share of Land Admeasuring 47.00 Sq. Yards Out of 533.32 Sq. Yards on Plot Nos. 66 And 75 Apartment Name: 'Sai Manju Arcade' Survey No.147 Jayabheri Park Village & Gram Panchayat Kompally Mandal Quthbullapur Sub- Dist: Medchal, District And Regn. Dist: Ranga Reddy A.P. Bounded By: North: open to Sky South: open To Sky East: Corridor & Flat No. G-2 West: open to Sky	30.08.2021 Rs. 17,75,403.00/-	10.06. 2021
3.	Manu Kant/ Kawaljeet Kaur- Premises No 10-5-385/5/1/1/14,60/4/13/5/ 1, 84. 390/9, 391/1, 390/ 6/10, 385/1/15, And 10-5-385/ D/ 11, Block K, Ward 12, Sy No. 129/77, TS No. 26 Syed Nagar Hyderabad- 500001/ LBHYD00005043051	All That The Plots of Land Covered Under Premises Nos. 10-5-385/1/1/14, 60/4/13, 5/1,84,390/9,391/1,390/6/10,385/1/15 & 10-5-385/d/ii, Totally Admeasuring 7625.5 Square Yards, Equivalent To 6374.91 Square Meters, In Survey No. 129/77, T.S. No. 26, Block- K, Situated At Syed Nagar, First Lancer, Hyderabad- Telangana. Second Schedule Property Sold Hereby All That The Part And Parcel of The Flat Bearing No.4, on The 4th Floor In Tower No.a6, Admeasuring 2423 Sft (including Common Areas), Along With Undivided Share of Land Admeasuring 51.01 Sq. Yards, Out of Total Land Area 7625.5 Square Yards, Equivalent of 6374.91 Square Meters, in The Apartment Known as "The Valencia", Situated At The Premises Bearing Municipal Nos.10-5-385/51, 10-5-385/84,10-5-385/a/12,10-5- 385/1/15, 10-5-385/60/4/b 10-5-385/58/12,10-5-390/b/10, 10-5-385/1/1/14, 10-5- 385/ D/11, 10-5-385/53/4/1, 10-5-390/9, 10-5-391/1 and 10-5-385/1/19, in Block K of Ward No.12 In T.S. No.26, Corresponding to Survey No.129/77 of Shaikpet Village And Mandal, at Syed Nagar< First Lancer, Hyderabad, Telangana State And Bounded By: North: Open To Sky South Open to Sky East: open to Sky West: Corridor	13.08.2021 Rs. 1,12,20,678.00/-	07.06. 2021
4.	Pinnapareddy Venkata Satya Prasad Reddy/ P Silpa Reddy- Flat No. 001 Entire Ground Floor Sumrise Dwelling Apartment Situated At Doddanekkundi Village Kr Puram Hobli Bangalore Middle Class Areana Bangalore-560036/ LBHYD00005448760	All That Piece And Parcel of The FThe Site No: 23- Municipal No:1017 (old No : 19/23) And Eastern Portion of Site No: 24, Municipal No: 1015 (old No: 17/24), Amalgamated Bbmp Katha No: 1017, Formed In Property No; 188 & 189, Situated at Doddanekundi Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore, Presently Under The Administrative Jurisdiction of Bbmp, Measuring East To West: 45 Feet, North to South : 40 Feet, Totally Measuring 1800 Sq. Feet And Bounded As Follows:- East By: Road West By: Portion of Site No : 24, Belonging To S.B. Madhu & S.B. Rekha North By: Road South By: Site No: 22 & 25. Schedule 'B' Property (Flat To Be Constructed/ Under Construction over The Schedule 'A' Property) All That Piece Parcel of The Flat No.001 In Ground Floor Having Super Built Up Area of 1560 Sq. Feet With an Undivided 300 Sq. Feet With 3 BHK Flat Consists of 3 Bedroom, one Hall, 3 Bathroom, 1 Kitchen And 2 Balcony Facing Towards West of Share, Right, Title And Interest in The Land Schedule 'A' Property And one Car Parking Space in The Stilt Basement Floor Being The Part of The Apartment Building Known as "Sunrise Dwelling" Constructed/to Constructed over The Schedule 'A' Property With Rcc Framed Structure, Concrete Block Masonry, Main Door Teak Frame And Steam Breach Veneered Flush Shutter And Room Doors Sal Wood With Water Proof Flush Shutters, Powder Coated Aluminum Windows With Glass & Safety Grills, Vitrified Flooring Etc., And Bounded As Follows: East By: Road West By: Private Property North By: Road South By: Private Property	21.08.2021 Rs. 76,36,931.00/-	06.05. 2021

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above borrower/s and/or their guarantors (as applicable) are advised to make the payments of outstanding within period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice else further steps will be taken as per the provisions of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

Date : January 11, 2022 **Authorized Officer**
Place: Bangalore **ICICI Bank Limited**

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is hereby informed to the public that my client Sri YP Raghuprasad S/o YM Pillaramaiah, has not collected the original sale deed executed mentioned below with whom he has purchased the KHB property. **1. Sale Deed Number - 3247/94-95** Dated 22-09-1994 Book No 1 Volume 546 Page No 78-85 Executed by Gowramma in favour of a) Veerannagowda, b) S Anjinappa, c) K S Keshava Murthy, **2. Sale Deed No 3085/94-95** Dated 16-09-1994 Book 1 Volume 472 Pages 125-126 Executed by Karnataka Housing Board in favor of Gowramma, bearing Possession Certificate Number: KHB/ADMS/161/LIGH/YHI/83-84 Dated 13-07-1983, Property Address: Residential House Bearing No 161, LIG, BBMP Khatha No: 166/161 Situated at 1st Stage B Sector, Ward No 4, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore - 560064. Measuring EAST to WEST 35 FEET and NORTH to SOUTH 50 FEET. Anyone has concern with regards to the property can reach me on

Sumathi M, Advocate
#685 1st Floor, 13th Main, 1st Block
3rd Stage Basaveshwarnagar,
Bangalore -79. Mob. 9845059860

PUBLIC NOTICE

(CANCELLATION OF GPA)

My client have instructed me to cancel the General Power of Attorney to execute in favour of Mr.Malikireddy Santhamma, Aadhar No. 3321 4712 0417 and Mrs. Siram Preethi Naidu, Aadhar No.4659 8255 3437 executed by Sri.A. Vijay Kumar on 20.09.2018 vide Document No.262/2018-19 of Book -IV, stored in C.D. No. MDPD-247. Whereas the G.P.A is cancelled today i.e., 10.01.2022.

Whereas the attorney named above expressed his desire to absolve himself of all powers and has requested me to **cancel the same** in view of his decision to absolve himself from looking after the said property and hence this cancellation deed.

That by this deed of cancellation, I hereby state that from this date, my attorney holder named above shall has no further right, interest or title over the said schedule property and has returned the same with physical possession unto then as full and absolve owner.

From this date onwards, they shall have no further hold over this property and losses their right to deal with the same in any manner

Any person having any claim over the schedule property may lodge their objections or claim in writing with all documentary evidence with regard to such claim with undersigned within 15 days hereof, failing which my client will complete the purchase.

Any objections or claim received thereafter will not be entertained / binding on my client claim.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the portion of agricultural land bearing Sy.No.114, measuring 10 guntas or (East to West on Northern side 187 feet 10 inches, on the Southern side 171 feet 6 inches and North to South on the Eastern side 47 feet 10 inches, on the Western side 75 feet 2 inches), situated at Ramagondanahalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, with sale permission of Deputy Commissioner in order No. PTCL (PO) 01/2005-06, dated 13.12.2005 and bounded on :

East by: Property bearing Sy.No. 115, West by: Road, North by: Road, South by: property bearing Sy.No. 114 owned by Sri.Vijay kumar.

M. Sathish & Raghavendra H.V., Advocates

PUBLIC NOTICE

General Public are hereby notified that, my client intends to purchase the below mentioned schedule properties from its respective owners. The Owners represent that apart from them there are no other person/s having any right or claim over the schedule properties and they have instructed to carry out search report to trace the marketable title and lawful possession of the holder of the schedule properties and that the same are free from all encumbrances and have offered to sell the same to my client for consideration. Consequently, I have undertaken to carry out a search to ascertain their marketable title and lawful possession over schedule properties and the search report is in progress. Meanwhile, I am instructed to Issue this Public Notice to call for objections from persons who may be interested in schedule properties or any portion thereof or having any claims against the said schedule properties or opposing sale thereof.

Therefore, any person/s, financial Institutions or statutory authorities having any demand or Interest in the schedule properties or any portion thereof or intending to oppose the sale of the same or any portion thereof to third parties, may forward their written objections with supporting documents to the undersigned, within TEN (10) days from the date of publication hereof for scrutiny. Any objections received thereafter will not be considered and my client would proceed with the completion of the sale, as If there are no third party claims or interest, and if any, are deemed to have been waived.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of land situated at Besthamanahalli Village , Kasaba Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District, described below:-

NAME OF THE OWNERS	Sy.No.	EXTENT		BOUNDRIES			
		Acres	Guntas	E	W	N	S
SRI. SRINIVAS S/0 LATE MUTHAPPA	88/4	0	10	Sy no. 157/1	Sy no. 90/2	Govt Road	Remaining portion of Sy no.84/1
1) SRI.MANJUNATHA S/0 LATE AYAPPA 2) SRI. RAMES S/0 LATE AYAPPA	148/1	1	3	Sy no. 149 & 150	Sy no 147	Sy no 148/3	Govt Road
SRI. YELLAPPA S/0 CHELUVAIAH	148/2	1	16	Sy no. 151	Sy no. 146/1	Thattanahalli village Boundary	Sy no. 148/4 and Nala
1) SRI.MUNIRAJU S/0 CHOWDAPPA 2) SRI. VENKATESH S/0 CHOWDAPPA	148/3	1	0	Sy no. 150	Sy no. 147	Sy no. 148/4	Sy no. 148/1
1) SRIMUNIRAJU S/0 CHOWDAPPA 2) SRI. VENKATESH S/O CHOWDAPPA	148/4	1	0 & 8 guntas Kharab	Sy No. 150 & 151	Sy. No. 146/1 & 147	Sy No . 148/2 & Nala	Sy no. 148/3
SMT.V.MAMATHA W/O LOKESH	144	1	0	Sy no. 146/3 & 146/2	Sy no. 143/1	Remaining in Sy No. 144	Remaining in Sy No. 144
SMT.KUSUMA D/O LATE THIMMAIAH	144	0	39	sy no. 146/2	sy no. 143/1 and Nala	Remaining in Sy no.144	Sy no. 143/1, 143/3 and Nala
RAMAIAH S/O CHALUVAIAH	136/1B	1 0	19 3.08	sy no. 136/1A	Govt Road and sy no. 130	sy no. 135/2	Remaining in sy no. 136/1B
LAKSHMAIAH S/O CHALUVAIAH	136/1B	1 0	19 3.08	sy no. 136/1A	Sy no. 129 and Govt Road	Remaining in Sy No 136/1B	Remaining in Sy no. 136/1B
SMT.C.RAMAKKA W/O NANJUNDAIAH	136/1B	0	20	sy no. 136/1A	Remaining in Sy No 136/1B	Remaining in Sy No 136/1B	Govt Road
SRI. MADESH S/O LATE VENKATSWAMY	137	1	2	sy no. 147	Sy no. 137 and 135/2	Sy no. 143/3	Sy no. 136/2
SRI. K.YELLAPPA S/O LATE KRISHNAPPA	157/1	0	24	Govt Road	sy no. 88/4 & 88/1	Govt Road	Remaining in Sy no 157/1

ASHARANI M.(BAL, LLB, LLM) Advocate
#6, 2nd Main, Janata Layout, Mariyappana Palya, Jnanabharathi Post, Bengaluru-560056
Mob: 9980065558 / 9902252512

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that I, **T. A. MURALIDHAR**, aged 67 years, s/o. Sri. T. E. Ashwatha Narayana, residing at: No.1101/2, Behind Godrej Avenue Apartment, Vinayaka Layout, Singenayakanahalli, Doddabalapura Road, Bangalore-560064, state that, I have lost the original Absolute Sale deed bearing Property No.7/1, Assessment No.176, Katha No.162, situated at: Kacharkanahalli, Bangalore, Ward No.26. bearing document No.BLN-1-18448-2006-07 of Book-I, CD No.BLND285; registered at the office of the Sub-Registrar, Bangalore North Taluk, dated: 23/06/2006. in this regard Complaint lodged before Kamataka State Police with Lost Report No.0130445/2022, dated 06.01.2022. Any person finds the aforesaid original Absolute sale deed may kindly return to me at my aforementioned address. Sd/-**T. A. MURALIDHAR**

TENDER NOTICE

The Income Tax Department, Bengaluru invites tender for providing Integrated Facility Management Service for the Block-G, Income Tax Guest House, Infantry Road, Bengaluru on Government epublishing system (CPP Portal) vide tender id: 2022_ITD_641664_1. The last date for submission of Bid in sealed cover is **24.01.2022 by 11:00 AM**. For more details, log on to **www.incometaxbengaluru.org**

Sd/-
Addl. Commissioner of Income Tax (Hq) (Admin), Bengaluru.

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Tender Notice (e-Procurement)

Rc.No.10/P1/2022, **Dt: 10.01.2022**

Name of the work : Procurement of 70 GSM S.S. Map litho White Printing paper and 200 GSM Virgin Online Coated Multi Layer M.G. Board for printing and supply of Text Books for the academic year 2022-23. **Approx. value of work : Rs.90.00 Crores.** Floating of online tenders : 12.01.2022 at 3.00 PM. Receipt of online tenders : 12.01.2022 to 24.01.2022 upto 3 PM. Further details can be seen from **www.apeprocurement.gov.in**

Sd/- Director, A.P. Govt. Text Book Press, Guntur

DIPR No.2613/CL/ADVT/1/1/2021-22, Dt.10/01/2022

OFFICE OF THE ENGINEER-IN-CHIEF (CIVIL), ODISHA, BHUBANESWAR
GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA, "e"-PROCUREMENT NOTICE

WORKS DEPARTMENT

E-mail: ceroads.bbsr@gmail.com

B-993 **Bid Identification No. CE-DPI & R-20/2021-22**

1. The Chief Engineer (DPI & Roads), Odisha on behalf of Governor of Odisha invites percentage rate bids in double cover system in ONLINE MODE form eligible contractors for Road work as mentioned below:
2. Nature of work : **Road work**
3. No. of work : **7 Nos.**
4. Tender Paper cost : Rs.10,000.00
5. Class of Contractor : Super Class/Special Class
6. Available of bid document in the website : **From 10.00 A.M. of 24.01.2022 to 5.30 PM of 15.02.2022**
7. Date of opening of Bid : Dt.16.02.2022 at 11.30 AM
8. The Bidders have to participate in **ONLINE** bidding only. Further details can be seen from the website: https://tenderodisha.gov.in. Any addendum / corrigendum / cancellation of tender can also be seen in the said website.

Sd/- Chief Engineer (DPI & Roads), Odisha

OIPR-34117/11/0109/2122

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E-mail : pscship@gmail.com CIN : U63090TN1974PLC006596

Global Tender
No.PSC/OPNS/PMS/001/2021-22

Notice inviting tender for Ship Performance Monitoring Service for one year.

Last date for issue of tender book - **on 09.02.2022: 1200hrs**
Tender box to be closed at - **on 09.02.2022: 1500hrs**
EMD : **Rs.1,00,000** (for Indian agencies)
: **USD.1500** (for foreign agencies)
Value of Tender : **Rs. 24,30,000/-.**

Prospective bidders are advised to refer our website **www.tamilship.com / www.tn.tenders.gov.in** for specific transparent details. The condition / requirement mentioned in the website shall meet out by the bidders. This advertisement is an invitation for bid only. The details given in the website are comprehensive. Further, all communications will be updated through our web site only.

DIPR/173/TENDER/2022 **GENERAL MANAGER (OPNS)**

சோதனை கடந்து சுதந்திரம் அடைந்தோம். சாதனை புரிந்து சரித்திரம் படைப்போம்.

Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports
State Youth Centre, Nrupathunga Road, Bengaluru - 560001
Tel: 080-22215601, 22211246, Fax:080-22215602

No: Gethnaa/135/2021-22 **Date: 07.01.2022**

Short Term Tender Notification
(Through e-Procurement Portal only)

The Deputy Director(Admin), Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports, State Youth Centre, Nrupathunga Road, Bengaluru - 560 001, Karnataka, invites tender from eligible tenderers for **"Supply of Terrestrial Equipment to Gethnaa."** Tender Amount: **Rs. 75.00 Lakhs.** EMD Amount: **Rs.1,50,000/-**

The Tender shall be submitted through e-Procurement Portal **(http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in)**. Vendors need to register in the e-Procurement Portal to submit their bids online. The tender document can be viewed free of cost from the e-Procurement Portal. **1)** Last Date and Time for Submission of Tender Documents through e-Procurement Portal **: 14.01.2022 up to 16.00 Hrs. 2)** Opening of Technical Bid **: 17.01.2022 at 16.30 Hrs.** 3) Opening of Commercial Offers : will be intimated. Additional information may be obtained during office hours at the above mentioned Address.

Sd/- Deputy Director (Admin) & Tender Inviting Authority.

DIPR/DDU/JA/2776/2021-22

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STATE INSTITUTE OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT
ATI Campas, Lalitha Mahal Road, Mysore - 570011, Phone : 0821-2520116,
Fax : (0821) - 2520164, Email : directorsiud@yahoo.co.in,
directorsiud@gmail.com, Website : atimysore.gov.in, Siudmysore.gov.in

No.SIUD/ADMNOHOST/32/2020-21 **Date : 10.01.2022**

TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Through e-Procurement Portal Only)

State institute of Urban Development, ATI Campus, Lalitha Mahal Road, Mysuru invites Tenders separately from interested agencies for the following services.

(1) Tender Number : **SIUD/ADMNOHOST/32/2021,**
Name of the Service : Providing Cooking and Catering Service for the State Institute of Urban Development (SIUD), Mysuru for a period of one year.
Amount Put to Tender : Rs.80,00,000/-, EMD : Rs.1,60,000/-

(2) Tender Number : **SIUD/ADMNOSTAT/8/2021,**
Name of the Goods : Supplying Stationery Items / articles and Houskeeping items for State Institute of Urban Development (SIUD), Mysuru for a period of one year.
Amount Put to Tender : Rs.26,00,000/-, EMD : Rs.52,000/-

Last date and time for Receipt of tender is **27.01.2022 upto 5.30 p.m.** Further details can be obtained by logging into e-portal **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** from **12.01.2022** evening onwards.

Sd/- Deputy Director
SIUD, Mysuru.

DIPR/MYSORE/SHIRDISAI/801/2021-22

STAY PROTECTED FROM COVID-19, NO CARELESSNESS UNTIL THERE IS A CURE.
Wear Mask | 6 Feet Follow Physical Distancing | Maintain Hand Hygiene

PUBLIC NOTICE

The undersigned advocate submit on behalf of my client **Shivalingamma S. W/o. Late Channabasavaiah** aged about 57 years, R/at No. 309, 3rd Main, Vittalanagar, J.P. Nagar Post, Bengaluru-560078 & another have filed the above petition for the death certificate of deceased by name **K.C. Nagaraja S/o. Late Channabasavaiah as he was died on 16-08-2018 at No. 964, NGOs Colony, Kamalanagar, Bengaluru North, Bengaluru-560079.** If any parties who have objections may dispute regarding the same or appear before the court as above **on or before 01/02/2022 in C. Misc. No. 5492/2021.**

BY ORDER OF THE COURT
Sd/- SHERISTEDAR,
COURT OF THE 36th A.C.M.M BENGALURU
Smt. SARASWATHI, ADVOCATE.

TELANGANA FOODS
IDA : NACHARAM : HYDERABAD - 500076, Phone No. 27152207, 08 & 09

Short Tender Notification No. TF/GG/Tender/340/RM&PM/2021-22, Dt. 10.01.2022

Telangana Foods invites Tenders for procurement of Laminated Film Rolls, HDPE Bags, HM-HDPE Bags and Maize. Further details please visit website: **https://tender.eprocurement.gov.in** and website: **https://tfoods.telangana.gov.in** from 11.01.2022 at 3.00 pm onwards. Bids submission closing date is **21.01.2022 at 2.00 pm.**

R.O. No.: 2555-PP/CL-AGENCY/ADVT/1/2021-22 **Sd/- Managing Director**

STATE BANK OF INDIA
RACPC MALLESHWARAM (41161)
No.97, Railway Parallel Road, Kumarapark West, Bangalore -560020
Ph: 080 25943732, 25943720.Fax: 080 25943729/3730 Email Id: racpc.bz1@sbi.co.in

DEMAND NOTICE

UNDER SUB SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS & ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 (HEREINAFTER CALLED "ACT")

At the request of the below mentioned Borrower(s),the Bank through its various branches specifically mentioned hereunder has extended credit facilities to them by way of financial assistance against various assets creating security interest in favour of the Bank. The relevant particulars of the said credit facilities and the security agreement(s)/ document(s) executed by them are furnished in their respective Demand Notices served on them. The borrower(s) have also created mortgage charge over their respective properties by way of deposit of original title deeds creating security interest in favour of the Bank securing their corresponding loans. The relevant particulars of the said secured assets are also specifically furnished hereunder against each borrower(s). As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance / credit facilities of the said borrower(s) have become irregular, the debts have been classified as Non-performing Asset (NPA) on various dates mentioned hereunder in accordance with the directives/guidelines issued by **Reserve Bank of India** consequent to the default committed by the borrower(s)in repayment of their respective principal debt and interest thereon. As the **Demand Notices** sent to the borrower(s) by registered AD post calling upon them to repay their entire loan dues within 60 days of the notice were un-served/not acknowledged, this notice is now being published in the leading newspapersafter affixing a copy of the notice at conspicuous place of the working place/residence of the borrower/Mortgagor as per the provisions of the said Act.

1. **Name and Address of the Borrower: 1)Sri.Chikka Bettaiah, 2)Miss.Umadevi, Both are residing at:** No.31, 2nd 'A' Cross, Byraveshwarnagar, Near Shantidham School, Bangalore-560091. **And also at: i)** Site No.31, Sridhanda Kavalu, 1st Main, 1st Cross, Sunkadakatte Village, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bangalore North – 560091, **ii)** No.269, 1st Main, Srinivasanagar, Sunkadakatte, Bangalore – 560091, **iii) Miss.Umadevi,** M/s Con Cam Press, Thigalarapalya Main Road, Peenya 2nd Stage, Bangalore - 560058
Name of the Branch: Erstwhile State Bank of Mysore (Presently State Bank of India), through its **Dasanapura** Branch Bangalore
A/c.No: Account No: HTL-64141160842,Suraksha-64168917746, File No:40978/HL/08
Date of Demand Notice: 23.12.2021, Date of NPA: 15.02.2021
Outstanding Loan amount as per Demand Notice: Rs.56,84,634/- (Rupees Fifty six lakhs eighty four thousand six hundred and thirty four only) as on 23.12.2021 with interest from 24.12.2021 at contractual rate with incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. thereon
Description of the Properties : All that piece and parcel of a residential building No.31, Assessment No.11/1/A2, Khatha No.2832 measuring East to West: 46 feet, North to South: 30 feet in all 1380 sq.ft., with 30 Sq House, 3 Floors each floor 10 squares now comes under BBMP Ward No.129, SL.No.254, Site No.31 situated at Sringandhada Kavalu, Sunkadakkate Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk with building thereon standing in the name of **"Miss.Umadevi"** and bounded on the: East by : 30 feet Road; West by : Site No.12;North by : Marigangaiah's Site No.32; South by: Site No.30.

2. **Name and Address of the Borrower**: **Smt. Sagaya Mary W/o Sri. Balaraju**No.7 & 8, 16th Main, 17 Cross, Mahadeshwara Nagar, BTM II nd Stage, Madivala Village, Bangalore- 560076
Name of the Branch: the Erstwhile State Bank of Patiala (Presently State Bank of India), through its NR Square Branch Bangalore
Account No: Account No: HTL-65007766940File No:20202/HL/421
Date of Demand Notice: 30.12.2021 **Date of NPA: 28.12.2021**
Outstanding Loan amount as per Demand Notice:Rs.11,24,347/- (Rupees Eleven lakhs twenty four thousand three hundred and forty seven only) as on 29.12.2021 with interest from 30.12.2021 + incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. thereon
DESCRIPTION OF THE SCHEDULE PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of property bearing Site Nos. 7 & 8 in Sy No.77/2 situated at Madivala Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore Now Ward No.65 of Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore and with building thereon held in the name of **Smt. Sagaya Mary , Measuring: East to West : 50'+44'/2 feet, North to South : 29.6' feet and bounded on the:** East by: Property belongs to Khan,West by: Road Property No.10, North by: Property No.6 & 9 and South by: Road.

If the borrower/mortgagor fail to repay the aforesaid sum with interest and incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of this notice/publication, the Bank will exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub section (4) of the section 13 and other applicable provisions of the SARFAESI Act. The borrower/ mortgagor is also put on notice that in terms of sub section 13 of section 13 of the said Act, you shall not transfer by sale, lease or otherwise the said secured assets detailed above without obtaining prior written consent of the Bank. This notice is without prejudice to the Bank's rights to initiate such other actions or legal proceedings as it deems necessary under any other applicable Provisions of Law.
The borrower/mortgagor attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.
The undersigned is the Authorised Officer of the Bank and is empowered to issue this notice and exercise powers under section 13 of the said Act.

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Place: Bengaluru
Date:10.01.2022
SBI, RACPC,Malleshwaram, Bengaluru

STATE BANK OF INDIA
STRESSED ASSETS RECOVERY BRANCH(SARB), BENGALURU

Authorised Officer's Details:
Name: Sri Nagendra Nagaiah
Email: sbi.05173@sbi.co.in
Mobile No: +91 **9964970123**
Landline No.(office): 080-2594-3678/3663

Address of the Branch :
Building No.11/90, III Floor,
Near Old Shivaji Theatre, J C Road,
Bengaluru -560 002
Contact: CCO: **Sri. Vijaya Krishna S N**
Mb-91 9449840170, Tel:080-2594-3678/3663
e-mail Id: sbi.05173@sbi.co.in.

Appendix – IV-A
[See Proviso to rule 8(6)]
e-Auction on 27.01.2022

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF MOVABLE & IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

1. Notice is hereby given to the public in general and the Borrower in particular that the below described movable and immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, State Bank of India, Bengaluru, the constructive possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of the Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis on **27.01.2022** for recovery of **Rs.96,28,918.80** (Rupees Ninety Six Lakhs Twenty Eight Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighteen and paisa Eighty only) as on 04.01.2022 and further interest at contractual rate from 05.01.2022 with incidental expenses + costs, charges etc., due to the Secured Creditor, State Bank of India from the Borrower: **Shri. Vasanth Gadigeppa Akkivalli** S/o. Gadigeppa, No. 39, Kothanur Main Road, Muneshwara Block, Harinagar,Bengaluru 560 062. Also at: GMR Infrastructure Ltd., Bannerghatta Road, Bengaluru 560 029. (For Housing Loan **36591908329 /36611371679**).
The Reserve Price, Earnest Money Deposit (EMD), Bid increment amount and time of e-auction and last date for submission of EMD along with KYC documents for immovable property to be sold will be as under:

Property No.	Reserve Price in Rs. (Below which properties will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Bid increment amount(Rs)	Time of e-auction of property	Last date for Submission of EMD along with KYC Documents
1	Rs.31,68,000/-	Rs.3,16,800/-	Rs.50,000/-	12.00 P.M. to 1.00 P.M	On or before 25.01.2022 upto 4.00 p.m.

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

TENDER NO. SBI/SARB/F5717/2021-22/689:
All that piece and parcel of 2 BHK flat bearing no. 005 in the ground floor, in the apartment building known as "Peepal Tree" measuring 1050 sq feet, with one car parking space, with 225 sq feet of undivided share with all common amenities, constructed in property bearing Site No. 2/4, BBMP Katha No. 319/536-2/4, formed out of converted land in Sy. No. 2/4, converted from agricultural purpose to Non-Agricultural Residential Purposes vide Official Memorandum No. ALN(SU).SR-19/2008-09 dated: 04.12.2008, issued by the Spl. Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru District, Bengaluru, situated at Doddakallsandra Village, UttarahalliHobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, measuring East to West 80feet and North to South (165+160)/2, in all measuring an extent of 13000 sq.feet and bounded on East by: Property of M.N.Gosakan, West by: Temple and Road, North by: Property of Rajashekar and South by: Survey No. 2/4.

Reserve Price: Rs.31,68,000-00

2. Notice is hereby given to the public in general and the Borrowers in particular that the below described movable and immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, State Bank of India, Bengaluru, the constructive possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of the Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis on **27.01.2022** for recovery of **Rs.1,70,25,485.48 (Rupees One Crore Seventy Lakhs Twenty Five Thousand Four Hundred and Eighty Five and Paisa Forty Eight only) as on 04.01.2022 and further interest at contractual rate from 05.01.2022** with incidental expenses + costs, charges etc., due to the Secured Creditor, State Bank of India from the Borrowers: **1.Shri. K.V.Sundhar** S/o. Kollavaari Venugopal Naidu, No. 2, Anushka Palace, Sri Sai Garden, M.S.Palya, Near Chandrappa Conventional Hall, Bengaluru – 560 097. Also HCL Comnet Ltd., C-2, Manyatha Tech Park, Nagavara Outer Ring Road, Bengaluru 560 045. **2.Smt. Lakshmi Priya** W/o. K V Sundar, No. 2, Anushka Palace, Sri Sai Garden, M.S.Palya, Near Chandrappa Conventional Hall, Bengaluru – 560 097. (For Housing Loan 3638776326/3687763261)
The Reserve Price, Earnest Money Deposit (EMD), Bid increment amount and time of e-auction and last date for submission of EMD along with KYC documents for immovable property to be sold will be as under:

Property No.	Reserve Price in Rs. (Below which properties will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Bid increment amount(Rs)	Time of e-auction of property	Last date for Submission of EMD along with KYC Documents
2	Rs.98,00,000/-	Rs.9,80,000/-	Rs.1,00,000/-	10.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.	On or before 25.01.2022 upto 4.00 p.m.

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

TENDER NO. SBI/SARB/F5717/2021-22/688:
All that piece and parcel of the immovable residential property bearing Site Nos. 20 and 21, formed out in Sy. No. 96, Converted for Residential purpose vide conversion order no. B.Dis.ALN.SR (N)156/92-93, dated: 22.12.1992, issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru District, Bengaluru, situated at Amruthalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk Present BBMP Katha No. 429/20-21, measuring East to West 45.00 feet and North to South (47+44)/2 feet totally measuring 2047.5 sq feet and bounded on East by: Private Property, West by: 30feet Road, North by: Road and Private property and South by: Site No. 22.

Reserve Price: Rs.98,00,000-00

STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE (8th AUCTION) UNDER "SARFAESI" ACT,2002.

The Borrower is hereby noticed to pay the sum mentioned above within 15 days from the date of publication of this notice failing which the Bank shall sell the property as per the provisions laid down in the SARFAESI ACT, 2002.
For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the links provided by the Secured Creditor, State Bank of India, Stressed Assets Recovery Branch, J. C. Road, Bengaluru, represented by its Authorised Officer, i.e., (1) www.sbi.co.in & (2) www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp.

Date: 10.01.2022
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/-
(Nagendra Nagaiah)
Authorised Officer

MINERAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
DIRECTORATE OF GEOLOGY AND MINING
MADHYA PRADESH
29-A Khanij Bhawall, Arera Hills Bhopal
Phone and Fax: 0755-2551795. Email: geology.dgm@mp.gov.in

No. 211/Auction/Geology/F.No.-7/2022-23 **January 05, 2022**

NOTICE INVITING TENDER

"Invitation of bids for grant of Mining Lease for Limestone, Bauxite, Iron Ore, and Goldminerals and for grant of Composite Licence forManganese ore, Bauxite and Limestone mineral"

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 10A(2)(d), Section 10B and Section 11 of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and in accordance with the Mineral (Auction) Rules, 2015 notified thereunder, as amended from time to time, the Government of Madhya Pradesh has identified:

a) 12 mineral blocks (8 blocks of Limestone, 2 blocks of Bauxite, 1 block of Gold and 1 block of Iron Ore) for electronic auction and hereby invites tenders for the purposes of grant of Mining Lease.

b) 9 mineral blocks (7 blocks of Manganese ore, 1 block of Bauxite and 1 block of Bauxite and Limestone) for electronic auction and hereby invites tenders for the purposes of grant of Composite Licence.

Accordingly, financial bids are invited in digital format only and technical bids are invited both in digital and physical format from eligible bidders.

Eligibility conditions, date and time, terms, and conditions etc. for participating in the electronic auction are provided in the Tender Document. Detailed Tender Documents along with timelines, nolificalions, updates and other details for the e-auction process for the mineral blocks are available in electronic form only and can be downloaded from the e-auction portal of MSTC Limited **(https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/mlcl/ index.jsp).**

Interested and eligible bidders can register themselves on the above e-auction portal. On successful regislration, eligible bidders will obtain login ID and password necessary for participation in the e-auction process. Interested and eligible bidders can participate in the bidding only after online purchase of the Tender Document on payment of the Tender fee from the above e-auction portal. Any revision, clarifications, addendum, corrigendum, time extensions, etc. to the tender document will be hosted on the above e-auction portal and on **https://www.ekhanij.mp.gov.in/** only and no separate notifications shall be issued in the Press.

Model Tender Document and Mineral Block Summaries are available free of cost on the e-auction portal of MSTC Limited website **(https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/mlcl/ index.jsp)** and Directorate of geology and Mining website **(https://www.ekhanij.mp.gov.in).**

LIST OF MINIERAL BLOCKS BEING PUT UP FOR AUCTION

Sr. No.	Name of the Block	District	Mineral	Price of Tender Document (in Rs.)
BLOCKS BEING PUT UP FOR MINING LEASE				
1.	Pahari, Narora, Tiloura	Satna	Limestone	5,00,000
2.	Pahari, Narora, Tiloura-Tanaja Bansipur	Satna	Limestone	5,00,000
3.	Atarhara Parsokha	Satna	Limestone	5,00,000
4.	Bara Khurd	Satna	Limestone	5,00,000
5.	Chorgadi - Puraina	Rewa	Limestone	5,00,000
6.	Bhatia	Satna	Limestone	5,00,000
7.	Ghuinsa	Satna	Limestone	2,00,000
8.	Kharoundi	Satna	Limestone	2,00,000
9.	Dhaukan - Dhaurra - Urdaurra	Niwari	Iron Ore	5,00,000
10.	Gurhar Pahar	Singrauli	Gold	5,00,000
11.	Pipariya Mal	Dindori	Bauxite	5,00,000
12.	Baruyee	Satna	Bauxite	1,00,000
BLOCKS BEING PUT UP FOR COMPOSITE LICENCE				
13.	Botejhari	Balaghat	Manganese	25,000
14.	Jam	Balaghat	Manganese	25,000
15.	Budbuda	Balaghat	Manganese	25,000
16.	Naganwat-Chhoti	Jhabua	Manganese	25,000
17.	Palasdor	Jhabua	Manganese	25,000
18.	Nandia Loharpura	Khargone	Manganese	2,00,000
19.	Dhobitola	Seoni	Manganese	25,000
20.	Kubri	Satna	Bauxite & Limestone	1,00,000
21.	Jamuwanikala	Katni	Bauxite	25,000

Note:
1. Auction of all the blocks are being considered as ''First Attempt''
2. The price of Tender Document is exclusive of GST.

The following mineral blocks are being put up for auction in accordance with Section 10A(2)(d) of the Act:

1) Pahari, Narora, Tiloura Limestone Block
2) Pahari-Narora-Tiloura-Tanaja Bansipur Limestone Block
3) Atarhara Parsokha Limestone Block
4) Bara Khurd Limestone Block
5) Kharoundi Limestone Block
6) Kubri Limestone and Bauxite Block
7) Jamuwanikala Bauxite and Laterite Block
8) Baruyee Bauxite Block
9) Botejhari Manganese Block
10) Jam Manganese Block
11) Budhuda Manganese Block
12) Naganwat-Chhoti Manganese Block
13) Palasdor Manganese Block
14) Nandia Loharpura Manganese Block
15) Dhobitola Manganese Block

Not with standing anything to the contrary in the Tender Document for these 15 (fifteen)aforementioned blocks, the State Government makes no representation whatsoever, express, implicit or otherwise, regarding the accuracy and / or completeness of the information provided in the said geological report and the Bidder confirms that it shall have no claim whatsoever against the State Government in this regard. The Bidder acknowledges and hereby accepts the risk of inadequacy, mistake or error in or relating to said geological report and hereby acknowledges and agrees that the State Government shall not be liable for the same in any manner whatsoever to the Bidder and their associates or any person cJaiming through or under any of them. The Bidders agree and acknowledge that any mistake or error in or relating to the said geological report shall not vitiate the tender process, Mining Lease and / or MDPA, or render the same voidable.

The block specific Tender documents are available for purchase on the e-auction portal of MSTC Limited **(https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/mlcl/ index.jsp).** Last date for purchase of Tender Document, on the e-auction platform is **Tuesday, February 15, 2022** and the last date for submission of the bid is **Tuesday, February 22, 2022 on or before 17:00 hours (Indian Standard Time).**

Sd/- DIRECTOR
Directorate of Geology and Mining, Madhya Pradesh

G-21110

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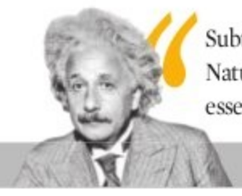

"Subtle is the Lord, but malicious He is not. ... Nature hides her secret because of her essential loftiness, but not by means of ruse

Albert Einstein

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— Ramnath Goenka

SC's NEET VERDICT PRAGMATIC, BUT QUOTA DILEMMAS PERSIST

Thanks to the Supreme Court, the admission process for this year's post-graduate and undergraduate medical programmes through the National Eligibility cum Entrance Test has been resumed. Coming in the midst of the third wave of the pandemic, it does bring a sense of relief, particularly when the spectre of a real shortage of doctors looms large. Once counselling for post-grad medical students under the existing eligibility criteria is rolled out, it would help address the shortage of junior doctors in the short term. However, litigation over the pure question—the validity of reservations introduced in July 2021 for Other Backward Classes and the Economically Weaker Sections for all-India seats—remains pending. And for both the OBC (27%) and EWS (10%) reservations, the threshold of eligibility remains the same for this year—less than ₹8 lakh family income. While thus greenlighting admissions 2021–22 under the existing criteria, the apex court also upheld the constitutional validity of the OBC quota, and said the EWS issue will be revisited at a later hearing.

Freeing up the admission process is a pragmatic thing to do; originally scheduled for October 2021, any further delay would have been an act of criminal neglect amidst a pandemic. But the court's sharp admonitions were understandable: the Central government has not been able to produce any clarity on the basis for its EWS criteria, even after three months. Except perhaps cite the Sinho Commission report of 2010, which it has been doing ever since it brought in the EWS quota via legislation in 2019. This has always been a tendentious point because the commission had categorically stuck to the traditional view, ruling against using economic criteria to offer reservations, saying they can only be brought in for extending welfare measures. And that if any quota benefits were to be conferred, they would have to be combined with social and educational backwardness. Which means, in a legal-constitutional sense, we are still with our dilemmas—including on the 50% cap.

TIME FOR SHIFT IN BALANCING UNDER IBC

The adjudicating authorities under the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code (IBC) are finally taking note of poor recoveries—if not in all cases, at least in some specific ones, and are trying to undo the damage by taking calls that may not strictly be as per the spirit of the law. Recently, an appellate tribunal set aside the approval given by the Mumbai Bench of the National Company Law Tribunal (NCLT) to the resolution plan of Videocon group of firms. As per the plan submitted by Anil Agarwal-owned Twin Star Technologies, creditors of Videocon group were to get only around ₹3,000 crore against their claims of over ₹65,000 crore. Videocon's successful resolution had led to more angst than relief thanks to the poor recovery numbers. The outrage that followed even forced the committee of creditors (CoC), whose 'commercial wisdom' is held sacrosanct under the IBC, to have a rethink and they had petitioned the NCLT to have a relook at the resolution plan that they had already approved with 95% vote share.

The recent turn of events has put the focus back on the role of the CoC in the insolvency code. Court after court has maintained that the CoC's commercial wisdom is beyond questioning under the IBC, but the same is being challenged, and probably rightly so. Sometimes the CoC's commercial wisdom has been questioned from within: mostly by dissenting creditors and sometimes by other stakeholders. Last year a parliamentary committee even proposed a set of rules or code of conduct for the CoC. The government and concerned authorities need to look into some of the fundamental deficiencies of the code—one of them being its excessive slant towards the interests of financial creditors.

While the commercial wisdom of the CoC is beyond question, its composition is such that operational creditors or vendors, suppliers, employees, etc., are kept out. A financial creditor, who is part of the CoC, can also bid for the company undergoing insolvency proceedings. In both instances, there's too much conflict of interest. Unless the balance is tilted slightly in favour of operational creditors and other stakeholders, insolvency cases would continue to be delayed by litigation and disputes.

We need to restore confidence on both sides and ensure an atmosphere of reasonable operational freedom without harming people, whom the military also treats as its centre of gravity

AFSPA DEBATE: WHAT COULD BE A POSSIBLE SOLUTION?

LT GEN SYED ATA HASNAIN (RETD)

Former Commander, Srinagar-based 15 Corps. Now Chancellor, Central University of Kashmir

SOUMYADIP SINHA

Every few years, the debate on the Armed Forces Special Powers Act (AFSPA), its provisions and applicability to certain regions and areas becomes more clamorous. People's opposition to it is because they feel that in a functional democracy, there cannot be an open-ended legal provision that gives wide-ranging powers to the military for use in insurgency-like situations, with immunity from prosecution and no limits on the longevity of its application. That is one end of the debate. On the other end lies the perception of those who are empowered by the AFSPA and do not oppose the above belief but wish that it is seen in the right context. Their perception is about the presence of fissiparous trends in a multi-ethnic, multi-faith, multi-cultural and multi-caste nation, a realistic expectation.

The existence of neighbouring adversaries and their involvement in proxy wars in India through support to anarchists causes major concern for the nation's integrity and unity. Such threats, which are proliferating through emerging technologies and new generations of warfare, cannot be countered by the police forces alone. The AFSPA is simply the empowerment of the military to assume the lead role in countering these trends through legislated authority to conduct operations without reference to civil administration. There are two modes by which the military comes in to support the civil authority. The first is for assistance to the local police to conduct flag marches, quell mobs and protect public property in law-and-order situations—during a reservation-based agitation, for example. A local magistrate has to authorise the use of military force at every stage. The second is when the situation is a 'public order' one, threat lethality is of a higher order and akin to the launch of a new generation of warfare. In that case, the military under the AFSPA is empowered, like the police, to conduct operations without reference to a civil authority. Soldiers receive protection from prosecution in the event of mistakes committed in the pursuit of duties; they can only be prosecuted with the permission of the Central government and not by local initiation.

The entire debate hinges on the allegation that the AFSPA is draconian because it sanctifies the use of violence to quell or control violence. There is another way to view the provisions of the AFSPA—that the wordings of the Fifties, which were used to describe the powers contained in the Acts of 1958, 1983 and 1990, were unduly harsh. In today's world, harsh language of this kind is not taken kindly and it gives a perception of lack of sensitivity towards fellow citizens. There appears some kind of awkward belief in civil society that the military uses its empowerment under the AFSPA to maximise violence, never realising that 'minimum force' is its mantra. The very unfortunate recent incident in Mon district of Nagaland, leading to the mistaken identity killing of six innocent citizens by an Army ambush and eight more after the local people responded in anger, has added to the clamour to rescind the Act. The government has taken a call to extend the AFSPA for six months in Nagaland even as a high-power committee is examining its further validity in the light of the existing situation.

Perception is so divided today that it is best to place facts for better understanding than express opinion. The first of the facts needing clarification is about the AFSPA being applied only in border states. Many are questioning why it has not been imposed in the Red Corridor. My brief explanation for this is that heartland insurgencies, even if externally sponsored, may not pose threats as serious as rimland ones in the border states.

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The objection of the people and rights activists is that the partial immunity emboldens the military to take risks in the course of which inadvertent mistakes are made, promoting a sort of impunity. While that mistake can be written off as an unfortunate incident by the military, it causes anguish amongst our own society, something unacceptable and against the principles of human rights. The military on the other hand claims that it does the job of fighting terror and insurgency, not out of own volition but due to a call of duty for the sake of national security, especially when others have been unable to do the same, and the Forces are the nation's last resort. There is no doubt that proxy wars will see new and more audacious ways as technology proliferates and India's adversaries find more ways of targeting it. With the military's proactive operational philosophy, mistakes are only human. So how do we restore confidence on both sides and ensure an atmosphere of reasonable operational freedom without harming the people, whom the military also treats as its centre of gravity?

Forgotten is 1997 when the Supreme Court gave one of its finest directions: the Dos and Don'ts of the AFSPA, based upon a representation. These were guidelines to the military and I remember the degree of seriousness with which we follow it in J&K. A few years prior to this, the ten commandments of the Army Chief for functioning in counter-insurgency areas were announced and each soldier was required to carry a copy and imbibe these. The SOP of the Northern Command for the conduct of search operations is a meticulous treatise on sensitivity that forbids infringement of any rights during the exercise. Along with it are the concept notes and 24 years of experience in handling Operation Sadbhavna; this is the Indian Army's annual military civic action programme, a lesson in humanisation of conflict. I consider it appropriate to remove all seven sections of the AFSPA and re-enact it with just two sections—'empowerment' and 'protection' in two sentences each, devoid of negative detail. Add 20 pages of appendices with the above four concepts. It will prove to detractors that there exists no legislation for coercive practices and the human aspects are given maximum priority. The 'protection' clause could be considered with another proviso—a period of one year or so for the decision to either deny prosecution of soldiers or accept it, in grave circumstances that are proven beyond mistake. The latter is to cater for deliberate action established by a suitable inquiry. Threats to the nation will persist and the military will always be needed for counter-insurgency operations. The public will need to be convinced of the fairness of the military, which is something the latter always strives for, mistakes notwithstanding.

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SAME DATA, BUT DIFFERENT ANSWERS

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Prior to the 2016 US presidential elections, The Upshot—a website run by *The New York Times*—conducted a survey of 867 likely Florida voters that showed Hillary Clinton leading Donald Trump by a 1% margin. The Upshot then shared the raw data with four well-respected pollsters and asked them to predict the result. Three of these pollsters predicted a Clinton victory with 4%, 3%, and 1% margins respectively, while the remaining one predicted a win for Trump by 1%. A clear 5% difference between the five estimates was observed, even though all were based on the same data. Well, are opinion polls a bit of an inexact science?

"In God we trust; all others must bring data." This quote by statistician William Edwards Deming has become a mantra for modern-day data science—not only for the importance of data measurement and analysis in business but also because it points to the promise of finding objective answers. But interestingly enough, data-based conclusions are often not unique. Different experts would often come up with different sets of (even contradictory) conclusions from the same data. And we know that economists may debate whether a recovery is V-shaped, W-shaped or K-shaped—all are based on the same data.

Through a landmark study, a 2020 research paper in *Nature* shocked the scientific community. It reported the variability in the analysis of the same neuroimaging dataset by 70 teams worldwide. These teams were asked to analyse a dataset on 108 subjects who could either make or lose money by playing a type of gambling game while placed in MRI scanners. The concerned hypotheses were related to what happened in the brain during such a task. The teams were in partial agreement about only four of the nine hypotheses, whereas mostly divided opinions on the other five explanations were obtained.

The above study is not an exception though. Very different meanings from the same data can be drawn, as concluded by Raphael Silberzahn of IESE Business School, Barcelona and Eric L Uhlmann of INSEAD in Singapore in their 2015 *Nature* paper. They observed that significant variations in the results of the analyses of complex data may be difficult to avoid, even by experts with honest intentions. Their study consisted of 29 teams involving 61 analysts, who were given the same dataset collected by a sports statistics firm on 2,053 soccer players of the first male divisions of England, Germany, France and Spain in the 2012–13 season. The underlying research question was: whether referees are more likely to give red cards to players with a dark skin tone than to those with a light skin tone. Analytic approaches varied widely across the teams, and 20 teams (69%) found a statistically significant positive effect while nine teams (31%) did not observe a significant relationship.

Well, different datasets may yield different conclusions, as one might easily understand. But how could the same data result in contradictory conclusions? This, however, is possible since statistics is not a natural science. In physics, whenever an apple falls from a tree, the acceleration due to gravity remains the same. But in statistics, the measures and models are often artificially built based on the judgements and wisdom of the concerned statisticians. Different measures use data in different ways and thus are bound to differ. The *common man*, however, struggles to understand which analysis should be trusted. And from a broader perspective, how should the data-driven policies of a society be set?

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The analysis of a dataset should be based on the understanding of causality behind a phenomenon. The 2018 book, *The Book of Why: The New Science of Cause and Effect*, coauthored by Turing Award-winning computer scientist Judea Pearl, shows how understanding causality has revolutionised science. In a data example mentioned in the book, the hit rate of two American baseball players—David Justice and Derek Jeter—for three consecutive years—1995, 1996 and 1997—are compared. Hits/At Bats for Justice were 104/411 = 0.253, 45/140 = 0.321 and 163/495 = 0.329, and those for Jeter were 12/48 = 0.250, 183/582 = 0.314 and 190/654 = 0.291 for these years. It can be observed that Jeter's hit rate is lower every year, but an overall rate by pooling the three years' data together would show the opposite. The underlying reason is that Jeter had a large number of 'At Bats' when his hit rate was the highest, in 1996; and Justice had a large number of the same when his hit rate was the lowest, in 1995. Weighted analyses could provide different results, for sure.

In reality, of course, one cannot afford to engage tens of analysts to solve a problem. The culture of crowdsourcing data is thus gaining momentum, though not extensively. Researchers who painstakingly collect a dataset are often notoriously guarded about their data. Usually, companies too are. And the problem is that "once a finding has been published in a journal, it becomes difficult to challenge. Ideas become entrenched too quickly, and uprooting them is more disruptive than it ought to be," wrote Silberzahn and Uhlmann in their *Nature* paper.

Well, the history of science would vow that the conclusions from the simple observation that the sun crosses the sky every day might even be varied and contradictory as well. Overall, it's quite tricky to extract objective information and, of course, the 'truth' from data. We really don't know which analysis to believe. The (possibly masked) data and the method of analysis are not often provided. And yet, even your own analysis can very much be biased, by an unknown amount, depending on the choice of variables, models and methodologies.

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SC panel is right move

Now that the Supreme Court has formed a panel to independently examine the PM's security breach and has also asked for a halt in the probe by the Central and state governments, it is expected that the truth would be ferreted out. One also hopes that all the talk about conspiracy and other accusations of negligence on the part of the state government would come to an end.

V Padmanabhan, Bengaluru

Campus politics & violence

Courts have repeatedly banned politics in schools and colleges, yet it continues unabated in Kerala. This has now led to the death of a student named Dheeraj, who was stabbed at the Government Engineering College, Idukki. The right to education of many students are hampered during these strikes and protests forced upon them by politicians. The students are dragged into hartals and strikes for the politicians' interest, which in turn spoils the lives of the children.

K A Solaman, Alappuzha

Uniform Civil Code needed

This is with reference to the opinion article *Legislating equality and fraternity* (Jan 10). Our nation has failed to provide social and economic justice to its people despite 75 years of independence. This is a sad reality. For example, although our Constitution envisages a Uniform Civil Code, solely for vote-bank politics it is being purposely neglected all along. Unless and until the UCC is implemented, true secularism will not prevail.

B Veerakumaran Thampi, T'puram

Edu and nutrition at stake

Due to the closing down of schools following the third wave, many children, especially the poor from rural areas, are hit badly. In addition to the lost education, they will also fall short on nutrition targets since they would miss the mid-day meals. In the event of not getting proper nutrition, they will be forced to go back and help their parents so as to make both ends meet. At this juncture, the novel scheme *Illam Thedi Kalvi* initiated by the Tamil Nadu government can be utilised in a proper way to continue the mid-day meals scheme.

R Pichumani, Kumbakonam

Rising cases but no masks

Despite Covid-19 cases rising fast in the state of Telangana, one can still see that a large number of people are wearing masks improperly or not using them at all. This is despite the state government saying that not wearing a mask in public will attract fines. There is a need to educate people about the importance of masks and on prevention protocols like vaccination, washing hands and social distancing. The government should once again reinforce and popularise prevention aspects. Make masks a hit so that citizens are fit should be the message.

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

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Federation of Indian pilots wrote @JM_Scindia that there could be a direct co-relation between 5-G roll out & flight safety. Its a matter of serious concern.

Shivraj Singh Chouhan @ChouhanShivraj

Will implement all welfare programs including reservation in bodies with interest of backward class with full force with necessary legal provisions.

Sanjay Singh AAP @SanjayAzadSIn

Great initiative by DCPCR. It's important that every child gets best legal aid. Hope this inquiry committee of Justice Lokur will give it a right direction.

No need to test the asymptomatic and low-risk contacts, says ICMR

Emergency procedures not to be delayed for the lack of tests at hospitals, says apex body

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @New Delhi

IN a significant departure from the current Covid-19 contact tracing strategy, the ICMR has now said asymptomatic persons and contacts of confirmed coronavirus patients, unless they are identified as high risk based on age or comorbidities, should not be tested.

The move assumes significance as data shows that in many states, nearly 80-85% of the cases being identified are asymptomatic. It means that under the revised testing strategy, the number of cases could go significantly under the radar, provided that states encourage the new advisory.

In the latest advisory issued on Monday, the health research agency said that those with symptoms, and at-risk contacts of laboratory confirmed cases, which include people above 60 years and those with comorbidity such as diabetes, hypertension, chronic lung or kidney disease, malignancy, obesity can take the test for Covid-19 for quick identification.

The advisory says that in hospitals, testing may be undertaken as per discretion of the treating doctor but no emergency procedure such as surgeries and deliveries should be delayed for the lack of tests.

Also, patients should not be referred to other facilities for lack of a testing facility and all arrangements should be made to collect and transfer samples to testing facilities, mapped to the health facility.

It said asymptomatic patients awaiting surgical or non-surgical invasive procedures should not be tested unless warranted or symptoms develop.

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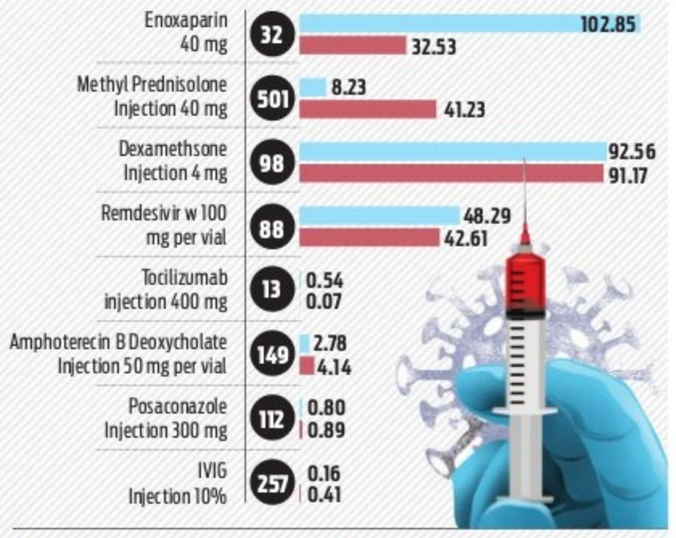
TIME IT TAKES TO TRANSMIT AN INFECTIOUS DOSE OF COVID-19

PERSON INFECTED	Nothing	Cloth mask	Surgical mask	N-95 mask
Nothing	15 min	20min	30 min	2.5 hours
Cloth mask	20 min	27 min	40 min	3.3 hours
Surgical mask	30 min	40 min	1 hour	5 hours
N-95 mask	2.5 hours	3.3 hours	5 hours	25 hours

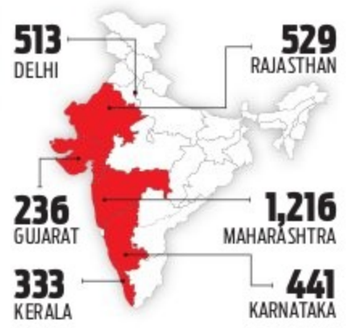
It will take 25 hours for an infectious dose of Covid-19 to transmit between people wearing non-fit-tested N95 respirators. **If they are using tightly sealed N95s — where only 1 per cent of particles enter the facepiece — they will have 2,500 hours of protection**

BUFFER STOCK OF COVID-19 DRUGS WITH STATES (DOSES IN LAKHS)



4,033
Omicron cases in India

1,552
Omicron patients recovered/migrated



7,23,619
Active cases

1,33,008
Rise in active cases

96.62%
Recovery rate

13.29%
Daily positivity rate

'No lockdown if protocol followed'

Srinagar: The Jammu and Kashmir administration on Tuesday said it won't impose lockdown if people follow Covid SOPs while the Government Medical College Srinagar cancelled the winter vacations of all the faculty members. Lt Governor Manoj Sinha's Advisor Farooq Ahmad Khan today said the government won't impose Covid lockdown if people follow the Covid Appropriate Behaviour (CAB).

Para forces witness spike in cases

New Delhi: The Central Armed Police Forces (CAPFs) have registered a sharp spike in Covid infections over the last four days with active cases reaching around 3,000, official data showed on Monday. The five CAPFs -- CRPF, BSF, ITBP, CISF and SSB -- apart from the NDRF and NSG under the home ministry, have more than 2,900 active cases as on January 9 as compared to a total of 964 active infections they reported on January 5.

Assam police brass Covid-infected

New Delhi: At least nine senior officers, including an Additional DGP and one DIG ranked officials, of Assam Police have tested positive for COVID-19 in the past two days. On condition of anonymity, a senior Assam Police official said that some of his colleagues are admitted in hospital, while others are in home isolation. "All of them are doing fine and there is nothing to worry about," he said.

Over 10 lakh take booster shots on Day One; six crore to be vaccinated

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MORE than 10.5 lakh individuals identified as the most vulnerable, received the third shot of vaccines against Covid-19 till 8 pm on Monday, as India opened for "precaution doses" amid a rapidly rising wave of the pandemic, fuelled by the Omicron variant.

As per the CoWIN dashboard, 7,32,146 healthcare and frontline workers and 3,14,301 of those above 60 had taken their booster jabs on Monday till the writing of this report.

Top officials in the Union health ministry said that while it has been advised that those who have had Covid-19 infection in the last three months should not take the booster dose now, there is no mechanism to ensure this.

It has also been advised that those with laboratory confirmed Covid-19 or any of its symptoms should not take the vaccine while being sick.

As per government guidelines, only those having completed nine months since the second dose of the vaccine are eligible to take the third shots.

A nurse administers booster dose to a beneficiary in Thane on Monday | PTI

Authorities have also decided that only homologous vaccines will be administered as a precaution dose, which means those who have taken Covishield earlier will be given the same vaccine and those having received two doses of Covaxin earlier will get only Covaxin as a booster dose.

The Centre has estimated that nearly six crore people will qualify for the precautionary doses that are being administered in view of the existing threat posed by the Omicron variant of the SARS CoV virus, by the month of March.

Airlines offer free change of travel dates

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MANY airlines including Indigo, Air India and Go first airways have announced free change of date or flight number for domestic flights in view of "uncertainties" due to a surge in Covid-19 cases in India. The number of air passengers at the airports has slipped considerably as Covid cases spiked.

Air India has offered one free change of date or flight number or sector for all domestic tickets with confirmed travel on or before March 31 of this year.

Similarly, budget carrier Indigo on Sunday said it will reduce its capacity due to the ongoing wave of the covid-19 pandemic. The airline also said it is waiving off change fees for all new and existing bookings made for flights up to 31 March 2022, as a large number of passengers are changing their travel plans due to rising number of infections.

IndiGo, which has a fleet of over 275 aircraft, operated about 1,500 daily flights in December. Another carrier, Go First airways also offered similar scheme keeping in view uncertain travel plans. "With GO FIRST, you can simply reschedule your flights at no extra cost. Offer valid on bookings till 31st January and travel up to 31st March," said the airline.

Total number of domestic air-passengers on Sunday at Indian airports was around 2.40 lakh as compared with 3.60 lakh about a week ago. Occupancy of airlines also reduced to the range of 60 per cent.

Centre asks states to ensure no lapses, maintain synergy

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UNION Health Minister Mansukh Mandaviya on Monday called on states and Union territories to ensure there is no lapse in the preparation to battle Covid surge and stressed on maintaining a holistic synergy for seamless management of the pandemic.

Reiterating that the Centre is dedicated to supporting states in containing Covid, he said the Union government has provided support under ECRP-II for strengthening the health infrastructure across the country.

Interacting with health ministers, top officials and information commissioners of Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Gujarat, Goa, Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu, Mandaviya said, "Let there be no lapse in our preparedness." During the virtual interaction, he reviewed the public health preparedness of these states.

Naidu, Birla seek proposals for holding session

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WITH the budget session barely three weeks away, the sharp spike in Covid-19 cases may cast a spell on the functioning of the two Houses of Parliament. Presiding officers of Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha on Monday asked respective secretary generals to prepare proposals for the manner the two Houses will function.

Rajya Sabha Chairman M Venkaiah Naidu and Lok Sabha Speaker Om Birla deliberated on ways to deal with the challenges posed by the explosive rise in Covid-19 cases in the national capital, which has seen a large number of staff members of the two Houses affected by the virus, forcing the two secretariats to devise a restricted working schedule.

In the wake of over 400 staff members testing positive, while more are yet to be tested, the meetings of the parliamentary standing committees have been cancelled. With no approval for virtual meetings of the parliamentary panels, legislative proposals referred to such committees may now take additional time, possibly delaying parliamentary scrutiny and nods.

On Monday, Naidu and Birla directed the secretary generals of both Houses to examine in detail the prevailing scenario and suggest measures for the upcoming budget session. It was learnt that Naidu called up Birla and they took stock of the situation, asking for a review of the Covid protocols followed during the winter session.

It may be recalled that the two Houses of Parliament had functioned in normal settings from the second half of the budget session in 2021. The monsoon session in 2020 had seen staggered functioning of the Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha, which had sittings in the first half and the second half of the day respectively.

The two Houses had worked out the protocols, which included MPs sitting in the visitors' galleries, while barring ex-MPs and staff members.

MHA again seeks extension to frame CAA rules

SANA SHAKIL @New Delhi

THE Union Ministry of Home Affairs has sought yet another extension from the parliamentary committees for framing the rules of the controversial Citizenship Amendment Act (CAA) on the ground that the matter is pending before the Supreme Court, this newspaper has learnt.

A senior home ministry official said: "The MHA has written to the subordinate committees on legislation in both Rajya Sabha and Lok Sabha, requesting more time to frame the rules for CAA."

Another MHA official told this newspaper that the extension has been sought because of the Covid situation and on the ground that the matter is sub judice. "A bunch of petitions challenging the Act are pending before the Supreme Court and it is a factor for seeking more time," he said.

On January 9 the MHA missed the fifth deadline to notify the rules without which the law cannot be implemented.

The Citizenship Amendment Act — through which the Modi government wants to grant Indian nationality to non-Muslim migrants from Bangladesh, Pakistan and Afghanistan — was passed by Parliament on December 11, 2019, and the Presidential nod was received the very next day.

The MHA issued a notification stating that the Act came into force on January 10, 2020.

According to the Manual on Parliamentary Work, ministries are to frame rules for the legislations within six months of passing an Act.

Since the MHA could not frame rules within six months of the enactment of the CAA, it sought time from the committees — first in June 2020 and then four more times. The fifth extension came ended Sunday.

More than 100 petitions have been filed in the Supreme Court challenging the law.

India looks to have constructive dialogue to ease LAC tension

MAYANK SINGH @New Delhi

THE date for the next Corps Commanders talk between India and China has been firmed. India is hoping that 'constructive dialogue' will help in resolution of the differences.

A source in the security framework said, "The Indian side looks forward to constructive dialogue to resolve the friction areas. The 14th Round of Senior Highest Military Commander Level (SHMCL) talks will take place on January 12 at Chushul-Moldo meeting point, on the Chinese side at 9.30 am."

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In the series of military dialogues at the SHMC levels, the 13th round of talks which took place on October 10, had ended up in a stalemate.

TNIE had reported that while India pointed to Chinese disagreement to its "constructive suggestions" for resolution, the Chinese side blamed India for "persisting with unreasonable and unrealistic demands". While there has been disengagement of troops from both sides in Galwan, Gogra and north and south banks of Pangong Lake, it is due at Hot Springs (Patrolling Point 15).

Tension prevails along the Line of Actual Control in Eastern Ladakh, with over 50,000 soldiers from each side deployed since May 2020. On May 5, Chinese PLA troops clashed with the Indian Army at Finger 4 on the north bank of Pangong Lake. The PLA had moved in troops, leading to stand-offs at several points. The stand-offs at Depsang and Demchok also continue.

Both countries have strengthened their logistics lines, with proper habitat erected along the LAC in Eastern Ladakh, indicating that the situation might remain the same for long. Indian Army has carried out precautionary deployments all along the LAC.

SC agrees to independent inquiry into hate speeches

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Monday agreed to take up a PIL seeking probe into the alleged hate speech by participants at two separate events in Haridwar and Delhi in December.

A bench headed by Chief Justice of India N V Ramana said, "We will take up the matter." The remarks were made after Senior Advocate Kapil Sibal who mentioned the plea filed by Delhi resident Qurban Ali and Senior Advocate Anjana Prakash.

Appearing for the petitioners, Sibal said, "We are living in different times where slogan has changed from satyameva jayathe to shashrameva jayathe".

The CJI then queried if an inquiry wasn't already going on in the matter. "We will look into it. But hasn't some action already been taken?" the CJI asked. Sibal replied that though FIRs have been filed, no one had been arrested so far. To this the CJI said, "We will take up the matter."

The petitioners said in their plea that they were constrained to approach the top court seeking its urgent intervention in respect of the hate speeches.

Apex court questions notices

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THE order came after the Punjab government demanded an independent probe, saying the state would not get a fair hearing in any probe carried out by the Centre. During the hearing, Punjab Advocate General D S Patwalia took strong exception to seven showcause notices issued to the SSP concerned, chief secretary and senior officials of the state asking them to explain why action should not be taken.

The bench asked how notices could be issued when it had on January 7 put on hold inquiries by the Centre and the state.

SC judges get call not to hear PM security breach

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JUST before the Supreme Court was scheduled to take up a case pertaining to the security breach in Prime Minister Narendra Modi's convoy in Punjab, many Advocates-on-Record (AoRs) received an automated call at around 10.40 am on Monday from an anonymous number from the UK, taking responsibility for the protest which resulted in the incident.

The call also had a warning for Supreme Court judges — to refrain from hearing the PIL filed by an NGO called Lawyers Voice, seeking probe into the security breach.

The call said the Supreme Court never took any action on the 1984 Sikh genocide.

Soon after the call, the Supreme Court Advocates-on-Record (SCAORA) Association wrote to the Secretary General of the Supreme Court and Delhi Police Commissioner, seeking immediate action.

The complaint by SCAROA said calls were in violation of the AoRs' privacy, especially considering the sensitive information contained in their cell phones regarding cases before the Supreme Court, their banking details, etc.

LEFT IN U'KHAND

The Left Front which includes Communist Party of India (Marxist), Communist Party of India, Communist Party of India (Marxist–Leninist) has decided to contest 10 seats in the upcoming Uttarakhand election

5 HELD FOR BID TO SMUGGLE PANGOLIN MAHARASHTRA

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	18	06	Mumbai	27	20
Bhopal	20	08	Panaji	26	18
Jaipur	16	06	Patna	22	14
Amritsar	16	05	Lucknow	19	07
Chennai	31	23	Port Blair	30	25
Kolkata	28	18	Imphal	24	10
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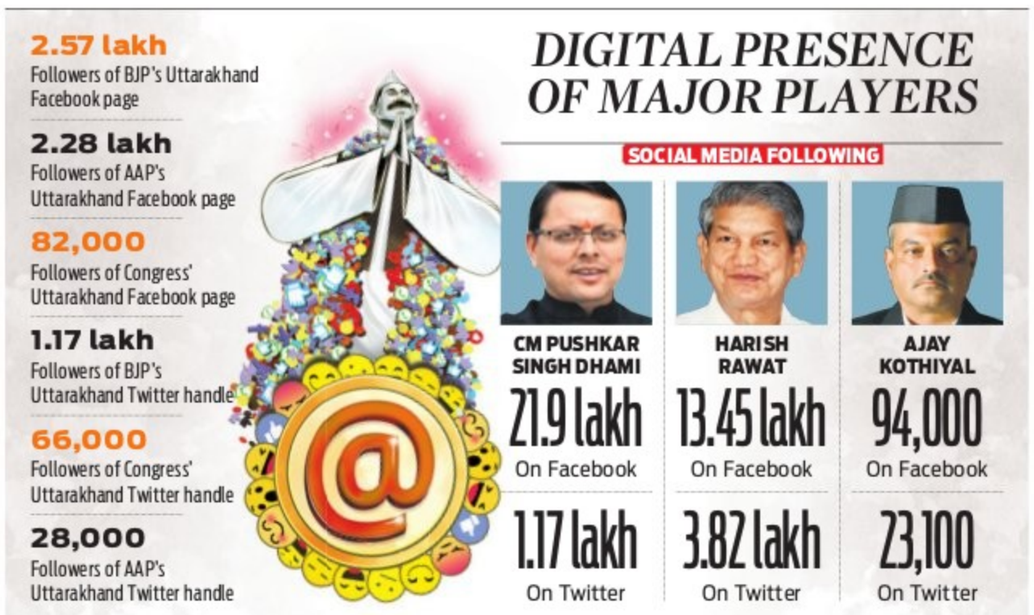


Uttarakhand BJP ahead of pack on social media

Hit by Covid-19 norms, parties ramp up digital presence; EC on alert

VINEET UPADHYAY @ Dehradun

UTTARAKHAND finds itself in a bind over how to go about the polls on February 14. On the one hand is the continuing and rapid rise in Covid cases and, on the other, the accompanying restrictions. All stakeholders — political parties, leaders, the ECI — are ramping up their social media presence.

The three principal contenders — the Congress, BJP and the Aam Aadmi Party — as well as prominent leaders and aspiring candidates have their social media teams and strategists.

BJP seems to be ahead of its rivals in terms of social media presence. Its Uttarakhand Facebook page has 2.57 lakh followers. AAP's has 2.28 lakh and Congress's 82,000. On Twitter also, BJP's Uttarakhand handle has 1.17 lakh followers, while Congress's has 66,000 and AAP's 28,000.

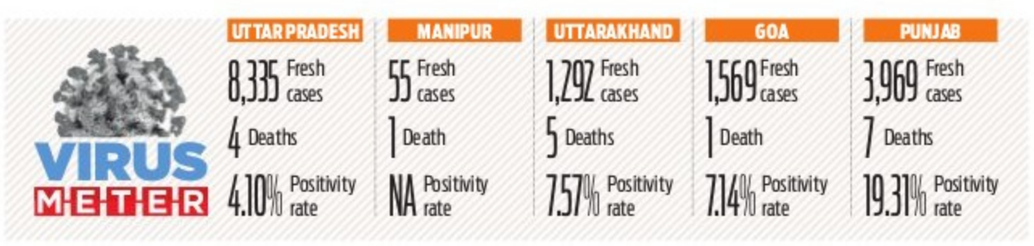
This difference is evident when it comes to individuals also. CM Pushkar Singh Dhami has 21.9 lakh followers on Facebook and 1.17 lakh on Twitter. In comparison, Congress leader Harish Rawat has 13.45 lakh followers on Facebook and 3.82 lakh on Twitter. AAP's CM candidate Ajay Kothiyal has 94,000 followers on Facebook and 23,100 on Twitter.

Ashubodh Deori, who heads AAP's social media cell in Uttarakhand, said his team had been working for over a year. Currently, the party has WhatsApp in-charges at all 11,647 booths with social media in-charges in all 70 seats and 13 districts.

Shekhar Verma, who heads the BJP's social media team, said the party has WhatsApp groups at booth, constituency and division levels. "Apart from these, we have a core team and a research team to provide us with inputs. We reach out to those who share our party's ideology. Our leaders stay in touch with us on ground, offline. We work to amplify the agenda set by the party and reach out to people to explain it," says Verma.

The EC has already formed a social media cell to monitor parties' campaigns. "We have three key tasks: monitor content and online expenditure, and spread awareness about voting and electoral processes," says Nitin Upadhyay, nodal officer for social media cell.

Experts say the BJP and AAP are the main competitors in the virtual world. "The BJP has infinite resources, but AAP is giving a tough fight. The Congress is not doing badly, but they need to hone their work," said a poll campaign strategist.



Cong plans online messaging in big way

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

WITH Covid-19 cases surging across the country, the Congress is focusing on virtual campaigns in five poll-bound states with a focus on holding virtual interaction sessions, town halls, Facebook and Instagram lives, and green rooms for leaders to connect with the voters at the mass level.

The grand old party had earlier announced plans to cancel all major rallies and events in the poll-bound states for a particular period based on inputs from respective state units. Infrastructure for a big digital campaign rollout is also being set up and the party's social media team is being roped in a big way to amplify the messages at all available digital platforms.

"Whether it is price rise, unemployment, farmer distress, or other issues, the social media department team will everyday amplify the data and theme-based issues specific to poll-bound states and constituency-wise," said the leader.

Last week, Congress general secretary Priyanka Gandhi Vadra did a 'Priyanka Ke Saath Live' session where she connected with people from Uttar Pradesh and held a question and answer session. She is expected to hold similar such sessions in the coming days with people and party workers.

Rahul Gandhi, who returned from a trip abroad, will also be holding virtual talk sessions.

"All candidates have been asked to connect with voters through WhatsApp and text messages, and be active on social networking sites to discuss people-related issues and problems," said a senior leader.

BJP WORKER, COP KILLED IN MANIPUR

Guwahati: A BJP worker and a police commando, both relatives, were shot dead by an unidentified assailant in poll-bound Manipur's Imphal West district on Sunday night. No arrest has been made so far. The police said Abujam John (57), the BJP worker, and his cousin, Abujam Tomba (37), were returning home when a gunman fired at from a close range. Chief Minister N Biren Singh said it was an "attack on the BJP and an innocent man". *ENS*

TMC LIKELY TO FIGHT IN 30 GOA SEATS

Kolkata: The TMC is likely to field candidates in 30 out 40 seats in Goa. Sources in Wet Bengal's ruling party, which has formalised an alliance with Maharashtrawadi Gomantak Party (MGP), said 10 seats would be left for the ally and the TMC was all set to contest in 30 seats. The TMC has assigned its leaders like Mahua Moitra, Sushmita Deb and Saurav Chakrabarty to carry out party's organisational activities in the 30 constituencies. *ENS*

SCRUTINY OF BJP UP CANDIDATES SOON

New Delhi: Top brass of the BJP is likely to begin scrutinising the UP candidates this week, with the possible nominees for the first two phases in the state to get the first look. The assessment report of the incumbent legislators of the party has also been submitted to BJP chief J P Nadda. The core group members of the BJP from UP are likely to arrive in Delhi by Tuesday. The BJP's Central Election Committee meeting may be called shortly. *ENS*

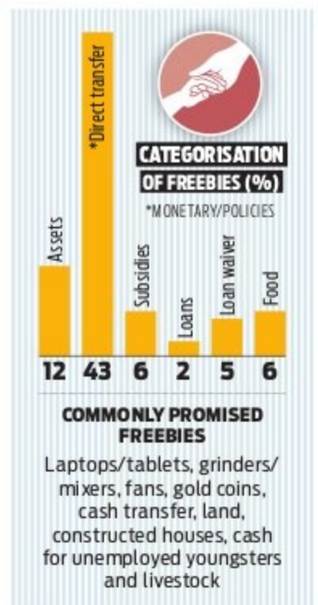
POLL PROMISE FREEBIES FIND MENTION IN EC REPORT

KUMAR VIKRAM @ New Delhi

WHILE political parties claim they seek votes in the name of development, trend suggests otherwise. An analysis of poll promises by parties in the last few years shows they often resort to freebies to canvas votes.

For instance, Akhilesh Yadav of Samajwadi Party recently promised 300 units of free electricity to all households if his party wins the UP polls. On Saturday, he said if his party is voted to power, laptops will be distributed to youth and students.

Punjab CM Charanjit Singh Channi said the state will waive off debts of up to ₹2 lakh for 1.09 lakh small and marginal farmers.In Uttarakhand, AAP has promised free electricity. Recently, BJP minister Harak Singh Rawat also announced that electricity would be free if the party retains power in the hill state. There are umpteen examples of parties promising something or the other as freebies ahead of polls.



The Election Commission has taken note of this. In a recent report it said, "A new trend has emerged, that manifestos consist of cases relating to distribution of free gifts by the political parties (commonly known as 'freebies'), including ruling parties at the Centre and in the states and candidates."

The report mentioned that "these promises include items such as land, gold coins, cash, land and constructed houses, free cattle, etc., and are aimed at targeted groups of the electorate like BPL families, weaker sections of the society, women, physically challenged, etc., as well as the electorate as a whole".

Election records show that in the 2018 Telangana Assembly polls, BJP promised waiver of farm loans up to ₹2 lakh, free laptops to college students and cows for free. Congress, in its manifesto for last year's Mizoram polls, promised free laptops to students who passed Class X.

Similarly, the BJP in Karnataka promised smart phones to poor women and free laptops to students ahead of the 2018 Assembly polls. Likewise, Tamil Nadu's AIADMK, in its manifesto in 2016, vowed coupons worth ₹500 to ration card holders.

These were all targeted at youth, marginalised sections, farmers, women, senior citizens and tribal population.

Big jolt to UP Congress, Priyanka's close aide Imran Masood to join SP

Lucknow: In a major set back to the Congress ahead of the Assembly polls in Uttar Pradesh, Imran Masood, an influential leader and the party's face in western UP, on Monday formally announced his plans to switch over to the Samajwadi Party (SP) along with his supporters. Masood claimed his decision was driven by the fact that in battle ground UP, "the fight was straight between the ruling BJP and the SP". Notably, Masood had been convincing the Congress leadership to fight the polls in alliance with the SP. In September last year, he had openly praised the SP as the only party capable of giving the BJP a fight. On Monday, Masood, who holds a key post in the AICC, vowed to win all the seven seats of Saharanpur Parliamentary segment for the SP to "keep the democracy alive and remove the present fascist government". *ENS*

Goa minister, MLA quit as factionalism troubles BJP ahead of Feb 14 election

Mumbai: The ruling BJP in Goa is fighting factionalism as four of its sitting MLAs, including a minister, have resigned and joined other parties ahead of the February 14 election. The latest were Goa minister Michael Lobo and MLA Pravin Zantye, who resigned from the party as well as the Assembly on Monday. Those who jumped the ship have alleged that the saffron party's Goa unit is "not taking forward the legacy" of former CM late Manohar Parrikar. Lobo is likely to join the Congress. Earlier, MLAs Alina Saldanha and Carlos Almeida had also quit the party. CM Pramod Sawant said the BJP is a "big family that continues to serve the motherland with devotion". "A few defections, to fulfil the agenda of greed, can't deter our agenda of good governance. I am sure Goans will give us another term in their service," he said. *ENS*

JOINING THE LEAGUE

Punjab CM Charanjit Singh Channi and PPCC chief Navjot Singh Siddhu with Bollywood actor Sonu Sood and his sister Malvika Sood Sachar who joined Congress | PTI

Digital push to poll process amid virus spike

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

POLL processes have gone digital amid the unprecedented surge in Covid cases. Whether it is monitoring of violations of MCC (model code of conduct) or filing nominations, the EC has asked stakeholders to go virtual. Widely available mobile application 'Cvigil' designed by the EC is meant for reporting MCC violations directly by citizens. Another important mobile app is the candidate nomination app for virtual filing of nomination. Moreover, the EC has designed in-house software — ENCORE — for election management.

Nagaland SIT submits interim report; march against AFSPA begins

People take out a peace march to Kohima demanding the repeal of AFSPA | EXPRESS

PRASANTA MAZUMDAR @ Guwahati

THE Special Investigation Team (SIT) probing the December 4 killings of civilians in a botched ambush by the Army at Oting in Nagaland submitted an interim report to the state government on Monday.

The state's top police officials remained tight-lipped but a senior government official confirmed it. "It's an interim report that was submitted today," the official said.

"What I can tell further is that the second incident at Oting took place at around 9.30 pm or so," he added.

The second incident was the retaliatory attack carried out by the villagers on the Army personnel after they had discovered the bodies of the six coal miners killed in the botched up ambush. Seven villagers and an Army jawan had lost their lives in the clashes. One more villager was killed the next day when a mob had attacked an Assam Rifles post in Mon town, forcing the personnel to open fire.

Meanwhile, some 200 citizens of the state embarked on a 70-km long march on Monday demanding the complete withdrawal of the contentious Armed Forces (Special Powers) Act. All along the way, the walkers, who came together through social media, were offered food and snacks by various organisations. They will reach state capital Kohima on Tuesday.

Hit by import of cheaper Iranian apples, J&K farmers seek PM help

FAYAZ WANI @ Srinagar

WITH the import of cheap Iranian apple hurting the fruit-growers in the Valley and about three crore boxes of apple lying in cold storages and godowns waiting to be sold out, the fruit growers of Kashmir have written to Prime Minister Narendra Modi urging him to ban the import of Iranian apple.

"Several fruit traders have dumped Iranian apples arriving via Afghanistan and Dubai in the country. This situation has put the whole fruit industry in J&K and Himachal Pradesh in a very precarious situation," reads the letter from the Kashmir Valley Fruit Growers Cum Dealers Union.

The fruit growers have alleged that in the last two months the prices of Kashmir apples have dropped by 30-40 per cent after the entry of Iranian apples in the markets.

Jaipur girl crowned Miss Teen Int'l India 2021

Jaipur's Mannat Siwach was crowned Miss Teen International India 2021 (Miss Teen Diva 2021) in the grand finale recently held in Gurugram. At just 16, she won the prestigious pageant by defeating 35 contenders. A Class XI student, Mannat says she has been deeply influenced by the world of fashion since childhood. Her biggest influence is 2017's Miss World and Miss India Manushi Chillar. Mannat taught herself by taking cues from Manushi. She was only 12-year-old then when started training herself. Mannat says that pageants and modelling are two different things. "Pageantry cannot be a career. However, it can lead you to a modelling career," said the teenager.

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JAIPUR DIARY

Deer memorial at village where Salman hit headlines

Actor Salman Khan was accused of poaching a chinkara deer 23 years ago in Kankani village close to Jodhpur. The village, known for years for the deer hunting incident involving the actor, will now reshape its identity as the site of a deer memorial. Two hundred-odd local individuals, forming part of the Kankani Yuva Group, have come forward to use seven bighas of their own land for the project. According to wildlife enthusiast Prem Saran, the project will have a rescue centre to treat injured deer. Creating the memorial will take about a year and before that about 1,000 saplings will be grown here to enable the surrounding wildlife to take refuge. According to Prem Saran, "We want this monument to send a message to everyone that wildlife has an equal contribution as humans to this earth."

Sports minister shines at Jodhpur Polo Season

The Achievers Rajnigandha teams were joint winners of the Maharaja of Jodhpur Golden Jubilee Cup after the Jodhpur Polo Season 2021. An exhibition match played between Mehrangarh and Balsamand ended in a tie with both teams scoring six goals each. Ashok Chandna, Minister of State for Sports and Youth Affairs, playing for Mehrangarh, stole the exhibition show by scoring four goals. Polo player Jaiveersinh Gohil was named 'Best Young Rider of the Season' and Jaipur's Lokendrasinh Kare was bestowed 'Best Upcoming Young Player of the Season' title. Argentine Daniel Otamendi was named 'Most Valuable Player of the Season'.

IAS Association unveils first issue of newsletter

The IAS Association of Rajasthan has launched a newsletter to enlist its annual achievements. The first issue was brought out following the organisation's three-year journey that began in December, 2018. The association headed by the state Chief Secretary held a range of cultural activities, including book sessions featuring conversations with civil servant-turned authors. From holding physical sessions with live audiences to online sessions with equally discerning crowds, the consistency of these events has allowed the Association to conduct fifty sessions on variety of topics, one being 'books of contemporary interest and topical relevance'.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to Inform the general public that my client **Mr. T.REGINA KUMAR,** S/o. Late D.Thangaraj, Residing at #7, E.No.1st Cross, Halasuru, Bengaluru 560008, has agreed to purchase the schedule property from its owners **Sri. MANSOOR ISHAQ** and **Smt. ANJUM MANSOOR** both resident of Flat #31, Shubha Nilaya, #20, 21, 3rd Cross, II Block, HBR Layout, Bengaluru 560 043. If anybody has got any legitimate claim over the same they can put forward their claim within **"Seven days"** from the date of publication of this notice along with relevant documents to the undersigned. Please do note that any claim/s that are received after Seven Days from the date of publication of this notice will not be taken into consideration and my client will proceed to purchase of the schedule property as if there are no claims / objections.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the Residential immovable property bearing vacant **Site No.134,** Katha No.1474, carved out of Property No.16/2 situated at **GEDDALAHALLI VILLAGE, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk,** now within the administrative jurisdiction of BBMP, measuring East to West: 40 Feet and North to South: 30 feet in all measuring 1200 Sq.Ft which comes within the administrative jurisdiction of BBMP, and bounded on the : **East by: 25 feet road, West by: Site No.152, North by: Road, South by : Site No. 135.**

B.N.Krishnappa Advocate
#11, 8th Cross, 5th Main, G.M.Palya
Bengaluru 560075
Place: Bengaluru Date: 10/01/2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

The 'Scheduled Property' mentioned hereunder is owned by **Sri Pravin Kumar G S/o Chennaiah Gangaiah** and **Shobha Shivalingaiah** having Acquired the ownership by Gift deed dated 8th February 2018 . My client intends to purchase the said property. All or any persons including any banks, financial institutions or any other party or person, having any valid and legal claim, right, title, demand or interest by virtue of any sale, gift, lease, tenancy, license, exchange, partition, mortgage, charge, lien, inheritance, succession, trust, maintenance, possession, easement, agreement, lis-pendence, stay order, attachment, decree, specific performance or otherwise or any other right of whatsoever nature are required / called upon to convey their objection/s in writing to the undersigned within a period of **15 days** from the date of this Publication, along with all supporting documents relating to such claim. If no objection / information is received within the stipulated time as above it shall be presumed that there is /are no claim/s and such claim/s if any, shall be considered to be waived and abandoned in respect of the **'Scheduled Property'.**

'SCHEDULED PROPERTY'

All that Piece and parcel of the residential Property bearing **No. 692,** having PID No. 19-3-692, **3rd stage, 3rd Block, Basaveswarnagar Nagar, Bangalore – 560 079,** Measuring East to West - 60feet, North to South - 40feet, and bound on :
East by : Site No. 687, West by : Road North by : Site No. 691, South by : Site No. 693

CHANDRAKANTH R. GOULAY, Advocate
G-1, # 145, 5th Cross, Near Kanishka Hotel Gandhinagar, Bangalore-560009.
Mobile : 9448045411, 9845202126

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my client Mrs.Usha Rajesh R/at, No.204, Mantri Splendor, Hennur Main Road, Bangalore-77 has lost her property documents of original Notarized General power of attorney dated 29.10.1988, sale deed bearing Doc.No. 13017/2000-01 and Registered sale deed bearing Doc.No. 39967/2004-05 in respect of propertyNo14, BBMP Kahta No.105/82/47/1/14, Assessment No.47/1, totally measuring 1200 sq.ft., Situated atNagashettyhalli Village, KasabaHobli, Bangalore North Taluk. The above said documents were misplaced / lost if any person found the same, may kindly be handed over to my client or below said addresses, inspite of this notice if any person/s holding the same will not derive any right, title and interest and also any transaction will not bind upon my client. In this regard my client has already lodged a complaint before the jurisdiction Police station on 07.01.2022 bearing No.0131624/2022.

Address : **S & S Law Associates**
M.G. Suresh, M.A.Bed, LLB,
Off : # 19/1, Ground Floor, Opp, KCD Office, CSI Mention Compound, Lalbagh Road, Bangalore - 560027. Mob : 8970659456
Date : 10.01.2022

PUBLIC NOTICE

YOUR PUBLIC NOTICE ISSUED IN JANUARY 2022 IN INDIAN EXPRESS, ENGLISH DAILY, INVITING OBJECTIONS FOR PURCHASE OF EMPIRE THEATRE, 115 AND 116 , M.G.ROAD, BENGALURU, BY YOUR CLIENT SMT.PRASANNA, INTENDING TO PURCHASE EMPIRE THEATRE ONLY FROM 8 SONS OF LATE HARNAMDAS KAPOOR NOT INCLUDING DAUGHTERS.

The family of Late Hamamdas Kapoor Son of Late Karamchand Kapoor and Late Prem Kaur comprises of 8 sons and 4 daughters in all 12 children. All the children irrespective of gender get equal share in the ancestral Hindu Joint Family Properties, the Hon'ble Supreme Court in its Judgement has clarified that the daughters have equal right in the ancestral Hindu Joint Family Properties, purchased in the name of one of the family members. The daughters of Harnamdas Kapoor, 1)Smt.Gudi Mardaritta W/o Ramesh Mardaritta 2)Smt.Shantha Chandok W/o Late Balraj Chandhu, 3)Late Premlatha Kapila since deceased by her son Sri Tushar Kapila and daughter Aradhana.K.Bhalla, 4)Late Kamalesh Kapoor since deceased represented by her heir Sujatha are all having equal right in Empire Theatre No.115, M.G.Road, Bengaluru-560001 which your client intends to purchase. Inspite of this objections filed by my clients, If your clients ignores the rightful claims of the daughters of Harnam Das Kapoor and proceeds with the sale only with 8 sons, your client will be doing so at her own risk and cost and the sale will not include the shares of my clients.

NALEENA LOGAN, ADVOCATE
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Letter No: 40 Date: 10/01/2022

NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING
Date Extension-1

Office of General Manager (Civil), Lakhwar Multipurpose Project, UJVN Limited(A Govt. of Uttarakhand Enterprise), Dakpathar (Dehradun), invites e-bids from interested parties. Brief summary of bid is given as below :
Bid Identification No:01/GM(Civil)/Lakhwar/UJVNL/2021-22
Name of work : Balance civil works for Construction of 204m high concrete gravity dam, Intake, (3X100 MW) capacity underground Power House and appurtenant works on river Yamuna of Lakhwar Multipurpose Project in District - Dehradun / Tehri Garhwal (Uttarakhand).
Date of availability of bid document on website : 15-01-2022 from 17:00 Hrs
Date of Pre Bid Meeting : 05-02-2022 at 12:00 Hrs.
Last date for submission of bids on website : 12-03-2022 up to 17:00 Hrs.
For full & further details, kindly visit e-procurement portal **"http://uktenders.gov.in"**

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BESCOM invites tenders from eligible Bidders for **Strengthening of LT network by replacing existing LT OH lines by LT AB Cable in Bangalore Rural Circle jurisdiction** for a period of 2 years on Total Turnkey on Percentage quoting Basis.

Sl. No.	Enquiry No.	Division
1	BESCOM/BCP-1343/2021-22/NANDAGUDI	Hosakote
2	BESCOM/BCP-1344/2021-22/HOSAKOTE	Hosakote
3	BESCOM/BCP-1345/2021-22/DEVANAHALLI	Hosakote
4	BESCOM/BCP-1346/2021-22/AVALAHALLI	Hosakote
5	BESCOM/BCP-1347/2021-22/DABASPETE	Nelamangala
6	BESCOM/BCP-1348/2021-22/NELAMANGALA	Nelamangala

Bid Documents available: 12.01.2022 onwards to 27.01.2022 15:00 Hrs. **Last date for Bid Submission:** 27.01.2022 15:00 Hrs. **Opening of Bid Document:** 28.01.2022 15:15 Hrs.
All the payment details such as tender cost, etc. & other details shall obtained through e-procurement website https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in. Further, bidders can avail assistance with e-procurement help desk at 080-25501216 and 080-25501227.

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NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that our clients are intending to purchase the Schedule Property as described below and are in negotiations with **Mr. R Krishna Murthy**, owner of the Schedule Property. In case if any person/s has/have any claims or objections of any kind whatsoever, they are hereby instructed to make their claims with documentation to the undersigned within 21 days from the date of publication of this Notice failing which the proposed transaction shall be completed without any reference to such claim(s) and such claim(s) shall be considered as waived.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of a vacant residential site all that piece and parcel of a vacant residential site bearing **Khatha No. 303, Site No. 303, NGEF Layout, Mallathahalli** coming within the limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Jnanabharathi Ward No. 129, and the Site No. 303 is formed by the NGEF House Building Cooperative Society Limited in Sy. No.'s 2,3/5,6, 8/2,3, 52/1,2, 53/1 to 4, 54/part, 57/1 to 8, 102/1 to 8(a), 9, 104/1, 2, 3, 105/1, 3, of Mallathahalli Village, Yeshwanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, site measuring East to West: 43.00 Ft (Forty-Three Feet) and North to South: 40.00 Ft (Forty Feet) totally 191.11 Sq. yards (One Hundred Ninety One Point One One Square Yards) and bounded on: **East by** :Road **West by** :Site No. 302 **North by** : Site No. 282, **South by** : Road

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Date:10.01.2022

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Asset Recovery Management Branch, Bengaluru

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APPENDIX-IV-A
[See proviso to rule 8(6)]
Sale Notice for sale of immovable property

E-Auction Sale Notice for sale of Immovable Asset under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrowers/Mortgager, that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured creditor, Symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of State Bank of India, Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is"** basis on **17.02.2022** for recovery of **Rs.28,78,319/-** (Rupees Twenty Eight Lakhs Seventy Eight Thousand Three Hundred Nineteen Only) as on 27.12.2021+ interest + expenses and costs, due to State Bank of India, Secured creditor from **Sri.Channaraju** S/o Sri Rangappa and **Smt.Shanthamma I N** W/oSri Channaraju (Borrower).
The reserve price, earnest money deposit and bid increment amount will be as under:-

Property No.	Reserve Price (below which the property will not be sold)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)	Bid increment amount
1.	Rs. 1,29,43,000/-	Rs. 12,94,300/-	Rs. 1,00,000.00

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

Tender No : SBI/ARMB/KRV/14
Property No. 1– Title deed holder:Sri.ChannarajuS/o Sri Rangappa
All that piece and parcel of the property/site bearing Khatha No 892,892A, Khaneshumari No.10 and 11 situated at Herohalli village, Yeshwanthapur Hobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, measuring East To West: 60 feet and North to South: 40 feet in all measuring 2400 Sq.feet with building thereon standing in the name of Sri.Channaraju S/o Sri.Rangappa and bounded on East by: Site No 12, West by: Site No 9, North by: Road and South by: Site No 18 and 19.

The sale shall be subject to provisions of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules,2002. For further details regarding inspection of the property the intending bidder may contact the Authorised Officer, State Bank of India, Assets Recovery Management Branch, Bengaluru- 560009 during office hours, Phone No. 080-25943765/25943769 or Bank's approved Resolution Agent, Sri Devi Resolutions Pvt Ltd, Bangalore Representative: Sri. Chayapathy, Cell No.9901902500.
To the best of knowledge of the Authorised Officer, there is no encumbrance on any of the above said properties. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp.

Date: 05.01.2022
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Sd/-Authorised Officer
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PUBLIC NOTICE OF E-AUCTION SALE (for immovable properties)

(In terms of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest SARFAESI Act 2002)

Whereas the Authorised Officer of the Bank has issued a Demand Notice under Section 13(2) of SARFAESI Act 2002 and there after in exercise of powers under Section 13(12) of SARFAESI Act 2002 has taken possession of properties mortgaged to Bank under Section 13(4) of the SARFAESI Act 2002. The undersigned in the capacity of Authorised Officer has decided for sale of the following properties to public by **E-auction** and invite bids from the intending purchasers for purchase of the immovable properties mentioned hereunder on **"AS IS WHERE IS & AS IS WHAT IS"** basis.

Sl. No.	Name & Address of Borrower's / Guarantor.	a) Date of Demand Notice b) Date of Possession c) Present outstanding dues	a) Date & Time for inspection of property b) bid submission last date c) Date & Time of E-Auction	a) Reserve Price b) EMD Amount c) Bid Increase Amount
1	**1) Mrs. ASHA NANDAWAT,** W/o. Mr. Kamlesh Kumar Jain No.26, 1st Cross, Sundernagara, Gokula, Bangalore North, Bangalore-560054 **2) Mr. KAMLESH KUMAR JAIN,** S/o. Late. Mr. Navaratan Mal Nandawath, Asha Jewellers, 7th Main Road, MES Road Opp H. P. Petrol Bunk, Jalahalli, Bangalore-560013.	a) **19.07.2018** b) **11.10.2018** c) **Rs. 1,35,84,591.45** plus unapplied interest and costs charges etc.,	a) **25.01.2022 FROM 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM** b) **29.01.2022** c) **29.01.2022 between 1.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	a) **Rs. 1,29,00,000.00** b) **Rs.12,90,000.00** c) **Rs.25,000/-**
	Description of the Immovable Property : TITLE DEED NO- 25354/2004-05, Dt:-06.09.2004 All that piece and parcel of Property bearing Vacant Site No.09 (Nine) formed in Khatha No.09, Assessment No.162/40, Sl.No.70, Situated at Myadarahalli Village, Yeswanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, within the limits of Abbigere Panchayathi, Measuring East to West : 70' (Seventy) Feet and North to South : 30' (Thirty) Feet in totally measuring 2100 Square Feet and bounded on : - **East by : 17 ½-0 Feet Road, West by : Private Property, North by: Site No.10, South by: Muninarasappa's Property - IN THE NAME OF: Mrs.Asha, W/o- Mr. Kamlesh Kumar Jain**			
2	**1) Mrs. BHAVANI SHAMANNA,** W/o. Mr. Manjunath P, # No. 35/3, 4th Cross, 3rd Main, Ganesha Block, R T Nagar, Ward No.32, Bangalore – 560032. **M/s. Manjunath Hardware,** Proprietor:- Mrs. Bhavani Shamanna, # No.708, Hesarghatta Main Road, Mallasandra, Bangalore-560015. **2) Mr. MANJUNATH P,** S/o. Mr. PAPAIAH, # No. 35/3, 4th Cross, 3rd Main, Ganesha Block, RT Nagar, Ward No.32, Bangalore - 560032.	a) **03.09.2018** b) **19.11.2018** c) **Rs. 2,16,62,428.00** plus unapplied interest and costs charges etc.,	a) **25.01.2022 FROM 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM** b) **29.01.2022** c) **29.01.2022 between 1.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	a) **Rs. 5,32,60,000.00** b) **Rs. 53,26,000.00** c) **Rs.25,000/-**
	Description of the Immovable Property : TITLE SALE DEED NO:- 5762/2013-14, dt: 27.03.2014 All that piece and parcel of the Immovable Property bearing Site No.12, Property No.42, Ward No.46, Pappaiah Garden, Situated at Matadahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk and Measuring East toWest : 118' feet and North to South :- 42.3' Feet in all measuring 4991.4 SQFTand Bounded on the :- East by :- 'C' Property No.13 belong to Sri. P Venugopal, West by :- 'B' Property No.11 belongs to Sri P Krishnappa, North by:-Property belongs to children of Late Narayanappa, South by :-22' FeetRoad. **- In the name of : Mrs. Bhavani Shamanna, W/o- Mr. Manjunath P**			
3	**1) Mr. KAMLESH KUMAR JAIN,** S/o. Late. Mr. Navaratan Mal Nandawath, At:- Asha Jewellers, 7th Main Road, MES Road, Opp H. P. Petrol Bunk, Jalahalli, Bangalore-560013. **2) Mrs. Asha Nandawat,** W/o. Mr. Kamlesh Kumar Jain, No.26, 1st Cross, Sundernagara, Gokula, Bangalore North, Bangalore-560054.	a) **19.07.2018** b) **11.10.2018** c) **Rs. 1,18,06,351.40** plus unapplied interest and costs charges etc.,	a) **25.01.2022 FROM 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM** b) **29.01.2022** c) **29.01.2022 between 1.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	a) **Rs. 1,18,20,000.00** b) **Rs. 11,82,000.00** c) **Rs.25,000/-**
	Description of the Immovable Property : TITLE SALE DEED NO:- 262/2013-14, Dated: 16.04.2013 All that piece and parcel of Property bearing Site No.11, out of Serial No.70, Assessment No.162/40, Situated at Myadarahalli Village, Yeswanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Presently comes under the limits of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagar Palike Ward No.12, Bangalore and Site Measuring East to West : 70' (Seventy Feet) Feet and North to South : 30' (Thirty Feet) in totally measuring 2100 Square Feet and bounded on the :- East by : Road, West by : Private Property, North by: Remaining portion of Same Property, South by : Private Property **- IN THE NAME OF : Mr. Kamalesh Kumar Jain**			
4	**1) Mrs. Lakshmi Chandrashekar,** W/o. Mr. R Chandrashekar, No.107, 1st Cross, Gajanana Nagar, Hegganahalli, Bengaluru-560091. **2) Mr. Tejas Chandrashekar,** S/o. Mr. R Chandrashekar, No.107, 1st Cross, Gajanana Nagar, Hegganahalli, Bengaluru-560091. **Office Address: - Sri Lakshmi Venkateshwara Enterprises,** Proprietor:- Mr. Tejas Chandrashekar, 7th Cross, Mahadeswanagar Main Road, Vishwaneedum Post, Bangalore- 560091.	a) **16.08.2018** b) **19.11.2018** c) **Rs. 62,75,989.20** plus unapplied interest and costs charges etc.,	a) **25.01.2022 FROM 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM** b) **29.01.2022** c) **29.01.2022 between 1.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	a) **Rs. 56,50,000.00** b) **Rs. 5,65,000.00** c) **Rs.25,000/-**
	Description of the Immovable Property : TITLE SALE DEED NO:- 3464/2014-15, Dt:-24.11.2014 All that piece and parcel of the immovable Property bearing No.56, Assessment No.53, Katha No.1475, Old Katha No.758, Situated at Hegganahalli Village, Yeswanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, within limits of Dasarahalli CMC Ward No.34, Now comes under jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No.71, Bangalore, Measuring East toWest : 15" Feet and North to South : 50' Feet in all measuring 750 Square Feet and bounded on the :- East by : Property no.57,West by : Private Property, North by: Road, South by: Private Property.**- IN THE NAME OF: Mrs. C. LAKSHMI**			
5	**1) Mr. Lakshmi Narayana N,** S/o. Mr. Narayanappa, # No.1115, No.17, Shettihally, Saraswathy, Vidyaniketan School, Jalahalli West, Bangalore-560015. **Office Address:** M/s Vinayak Transport, Prop:- Mr. Lakshmi Narayan N, # 1115, Shettihalli, Jallahali West, Bangalore-560015. **2) Mrs. Kowsalya D,** W/o. Mr. Lakshmi Narayana N, # No.1115, No.17, Shettihally, Saraswathy, Vidyaniketan School, Jalahalli West, Bangalore- 560015.	a) **28.10.2016** b) **23.02.2017** c) **Rs. 2,02,22,472.14** plus unapplied interest and costs charges etc.,	a) **25.01.2022 FROM 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM** b) **29.01.2022** c) **29.01.2022 between 1.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	a) **Rs. 1,29,00,000.00** b) **Rs.12,90,000.00** c) **Rs.25,000/-**
	Description of the Immovable Property : SALE DEED NO- 1713 / 2015-16, Dt:-07.07.2015 **ITEM NO.1:-** All that piece and parcel of the Immovable property bearing Site No.3, Khatha No.387/3, Old Khatha No.2, Assessment No.78, Situated at Shettihalli Village, Yeswantapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Now comes under jurisdiction of BBMPWard No.12, Bangalore, Measuring East toWest : 42' Feet and North to South : 28' Feet in all measuring 1176 Square Feet and Bounded on the: East by :-Property belongs to Kempaiah, West by :-Road, North by:-Site bearing No.4, South by:-Site bearing No.2. **ITEM NO.2:-** All that piece and parcel of the Immovable property bearing Site No.4,Khatha No.387/4, Old Khatha No.265, Assessment No.78, Situated at Shettihalli Village, Yeswantapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Now comes under jurisdiction of BBMPWard No.12, Bangalore, Measuring East toWest : 40' Feet and North to South : 32' Feet in all measuring 1280 Square Feet and Bounded on the: East by :-Property belongs to Muddaiah, West by :-Road, North by:- Property belongs to Narasimha Murthy, South by :-Site bearing No.3. **- IN THE NAME OF: Mrs.KOUSALYA, W/o. Mr. Lakshmi Narayana**			
6	**1) Mr. Raghunatha S,** S/o. Mr. Y. B. Shamanna, No. 48, 1st Cross, Hegganahalli Main Road, Behind Ganesha Temple, Ward No.71, Bangalore- 560091. **2) Mrs. Chaya M,** W/o. Mr. Raghunatha S, No. 48, 1st Cross, Hegganahalli Main Road, Behind Ganesha Temple, Ward No.71, Bangalore- 560091.	a) **03.09.2018** b) **19.11.2018** c) **Rs. 52,35,624.00** plus unapplied interest and costs charges etc.,	a) **25.01.2022 FROM 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM** b) **29.01.2022** c) **29.01.2022 between 1.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	a) **Rs. 67,00,000.00** b) **Rs. 6,70,000.00** c) **Rs.25,000/-**
	Description of the Immovable Property : SALE DEED NO: 6884/2013-14, Dt:- 26-11-2013 All that piece and parcel of the Immovable Property bearing Eastern Portion of Property bearing (a) Khaneshmari No.79/339, Khatha No.79, Ward No.35. Measuring East toWest : 29' feet and North to South : 42' Feet & (B) Khaneshmari No.79/339, Khatha No.79, measuring East toWest 25' Feet and North to South on the Eastern side 19'Feet and Western Side 11' feet, Situated at Heggenahalli Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk measuring East to West 16.6 feet and North to South 57'Feet i.e 946.20 Square and Bounded on the :- East by : Property of Sri Thimmaiah, West by : Remaining Portion of the Sale Property, North by : Road, South by: Compound of Government School **- IN THE NAME OF : Mr. S.RAGHUNATH, S/o. Y.B.SHAMANNA**			
7	**1) Mr. RAVI KUMAR V.C** S/o. Late. Mr. Chengal Rayam Vedivel, # Flat No. 5, 1st Floor, CMR Residency, 1st Block, 3rd Main Road, Near Srikrishna Temple, Dodda bommasandra, Bangalore- 560097. **Office Addess:- M/s Auto Finnz Associates,** Proprietor:- Mr. Ravi Kumar V. C, No.39, G1 Ground Floor, St. Jhons Church Road, Bangalore – 560097. **2. Mrs. KOTEESWARI R** W/o. Mr. Ravi Kumar V C, # Flat No. 5, 1st Floor, CMR Residency, 1st Block, 3rd Main Road, Near Srikrishna Temple, Dodda bommasandra, Bangalore- 560097.	a) **09.11.2018** b) **24.01.2019** c) **Rs. 99,74,069.81** plus unapplied interest and costs charges etc.,	a) **25.01.2022 FROM 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM** b) **29.01.2022** c) **29.01.2022 between 1.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	a) **Rs. 74,50,000.00** b) **Rs. 7,45,000.00** c) **Rs.25,000/-**
	Description of the Immovable Property : TITLE DEED NO- 5368 /2017-18, DT:-20-03-2018 **Schedule- "A"** Property - (Description of the Entire Property) All that piece and parcel of the residential property measuring East toWest 49 Feet, north to South 60 Feet, comprised in Site No.24 (BBMP No.467 / 54 / 24/3-B), measuring East toWest 20 Feet, North to South 51 Feet, comprised in Site No.25 (BBMP468 / 54 / 3-B/25) and measuring East toWest 30 Feet, North to South 51 Feet, comprised in Site No.26, (BBMP Khatha No.469 / 54 / 3-B / 26), totally measuring an extent of 5490 Sqft, carved out of residentially converted land comprised in Sy.No.54/3 of Jarakabande Kaval village, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru (converted Vide Official Memorandum bearing No. BDIS /ALN/SR(NA)- 11 / 203-04, dt:- 16/08/2003 issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru district, Bengaluru and bounded on the: **- In respect of Site No.24,** East by:- Drain, West by :- Site No.23, North by:- 30 Feet Government Road, South by:- Site No.25 & Site No.26, **In respect of Site No.25:** East by :- Private Property, West by :- Site No.26, North by:- Site No.24, South by:- 25 Feet Wide Road. **In respect of Site No. 26:** East by :- Site No.25, West by:- Site No.27, North by:- Site No.23 and 24, South by:- 25 Feet Wide Road. **Schedule-"B"Property -** An Area of 8.27% (i.e. 454.32 Sq.ft), of Undivided share of rights, title and interest in the Land of Schedule"A" Property here above mentioned. **Schedule-"C" Property -** Flat No.402 (3rd Floor), of the building known as "UNICCA IMPRESSION", Area of 2450sqft super build up Area (inclusive of inbuilt open area, Light Roofed Area, proportionate share in common area and /or other areas used in common by other purchasers along withTerrace rights of the captioned flat in the residential complex) Flat No.402, on 3rd Floor Habi table of "Unicca Impression": consisting of 3 bed room, 1 Hall, 1 Kitchen, 3 Bathrooms, 3 Balcony along with Exclusive rights to use one Covered CAR Parking in the residential Apartment in the Said Residential Building Complex "Unicca Impression" being constructed on Schedule "A" Property **- Inthe Name of: 1. Mr. Ravi Kumar V C S/o. Late Mr. Chengal Rayam Vedivel and 2. Mrs. Koteeswari R W/o Mr. Ravi Kumar V C**			
8	**1) Mr. SATHISH S. K** S/o. Mr. Krishnaiah, No.53/1, 4th Main Road, 2nd Cross, Kottigepalya, Bengaluru-560091. **2) Mr. KRISHNAIAH** S/o. Mr. Sasalaiah, No.53/1, 4th Main Road, 2nd Cross, Kottigepalya, Bengaluru-560091.	a) **16.07.2018** b) **11.10.2018** c) **Rs. 55,56,913.98** plus unapplied interest and costs charges etc.,	a) **25.01.2022 FROM 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM** b) **29.01.2022** c) **29.01.2022 between 1.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	a) **Rs. 78,00,000.00** b) **Rs. 7,80,000.00** c) **Rs.25,000/-**
	Description of the Immovable Property : TITLE DEED NO- 3633/2015-16, Dated 21.10.2015 All that piece and parcel of immovable Property bearing No.4, Assessment No.8/4, BBMP Ward No.72, situated at HERO HALLI VILLAGE, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk measuring East toWest 20 Feet and North to South 60 Feet Total Measuring 1200 Sqft, and proposed construction of 989.92 Square feet each in stilt + 3 Floors and 105.66 Square Feet in Head room, total construction area being 4065.34 Square Feet and Bounded on:- East by :- Property Bearing No.05, West by :- Property Bearing No.03, North by:- Road, South by:- Assessment No.8/5 and 8/5C. **- In the Name of : Mr. S.K. Sathish**			
9	**1) Mr.SRINAATH B S,** S/o. Mr. Suryanarayana, # No.70, 7th Main Road, 7th Block, Banashankari 3rd Stage, Girinagar, Bangalore-560085. **Office Address:- M/s Krishna Associates** (Cement & Steel Dealers), Propritor : - Mr. Srinaath B S, # No.480 Hosakerehalli Main Road, BSK 3rd Stage, Bangalore-560085. **2) Mrs. Radha S,** W/o- Mr. Srinaath B S, # No.70, 7th Main Road, 7th Block, Banashankari 3rd Stage, Girinagar, Bangalore-560085.	a) **06.12.2016** b) **01.04.2017** c) **Rs. 1,90,77,220.94** plus unapplied interest and costs charges etc.,	a) **25.01.2022 FROM 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM** b) **29.01.2022** c) **29.01.2022 between 1.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	a) **Rs. 1,72,00,000.00** b) **Rs. 17,20,000.00** c) **Rs.25,000/-**
	Description of the Immovable Property : SALE DEED NO- 3415/14-15, DT:- 05-09-2014 All that piece and parcel of the Residential property bearing Site No.3087, (Old Site No.193/31), carved in the Survey No.16,17,18,19 of Gerahalli Village and No. 101, 103/1, 103/2, 104/1, 104/2, 105 and 106 of Hosakerehalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk by Vishwabharathi House Building Co-Operative Society Ltd in residential plotwith construction of Ground + First Floor, in all 2234.10Sqft, in the IV phase of Girinagar, Bangalore-560085 and Bounded on the East by: Marginal Land, West by: SiteNo.3086, North by: Road, Southby:MarginLand **- In the Name of :Mr. SRINAATH B S, S/o. Mr. Suryanarayana**			
10	**1) Mr. Vijay Kumar Rajashekhar,** S/o. Mr. Rajashekar M, # No. 615, Sapthagiri Nilaya, Near Lakshminarasimha Swamy Temple, Shettihalli, Bangalore-560015. **Office Address:- M/s Vijay Poultry Farm Proprietor** Mr. Vijay Kumar Rajashekhar, # Sy No.36/1, Kadabagere Gate, Bangalore Rural - 562130. **2) Mr. Rajashekar M** S/o. Mr. Muniswamappa, # No.615, Sapthagiri Nilaya, Nr Lakshminarasimha Swamy Temple, Shettihalli, Bangalore - 560015.	a) **28.11.2016** b) **18.02.2017** c) **Rs. 1,51,64,573.00** plus unapplied interest and costs charges etc.,	a) **25.01.2022 FROM 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM** b) **29.01.2022** c) **29.01.2022 between 1.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	a) **Rs. 1,50,00,000.00** b) **Rs. 15,00,000.00** c) **Rs.25,000/-**
	Description of the Immovable Property : SALE DEED NO- 3023/2014-15, dated 13.06.2014 All that piece and parcel of Immovable property bearing Site No. 10, formed in Sy No.81 converted for Non-Agricultural Residential purpose vide order reference No. ALN.SR(N)231/2004-05 dated 17.12.2004, Shettihalli Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk measuring East to West :- 28 Feet & North to South: 88 Feet in all measuring 2464 Sqft and proposed construction of 1502.84 Sqft each in Stilt, Ground and 1st Floors and 1276.88 Sqft in 2nd floor and 90.81 Sqft in Head Room, total constructed Area being 5876.21 Sqft and Bounded on the East by : Road, West by : Property of Sampangamma, North by : Remaining portion of Same Sy No. 81, South by : Road. **- In the Name of : Mr. Vijay Kumar Rajashekhar, S/o- Mr. Rajashekhar M**			
11	**1) Mr. Narasimha N,** S/o- Mr. Nagappa **2) Mrs. Ramanjinamma N,** W/o- Mr. Narasimha N No. 10, 1st floor, 7th main 15th cross, Subbaraju layout, Lakksandra, Bangalore-560030.	a) **10.09.2018** b) **15.12.2018** c) **Rs. 44,81,459.10** plus unapplied interest and costs charges etc.,	a) **25.01.2022 FROM 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM** b) **29.01.2022** c) **29.01.2022 between 1.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	a) **Rs. 33,40,000.00** b) **Rs. 3,34,000.00** c) **Rs.25,000/-**
	Description of the Immovable Property : Title Deed No- 4771/2017-18, Dt:- 28.09-2017 **Schedule-"A" Property:** All that piece and parcel of converted property / Sites Bearing Nos.195, 196, 223, 224, Bearing BBMP Khatha Sl. No.2561, Presently Property No.2047/4/31/32/1/35 /224/223/195/196 , Situated at PADMA UPADYAYA LAYOUT, NAGADEVANAHALLI VILLAGE Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, formed in sy.Nos.31, 32/1 and 35, duly converted into non-agricultural land as per the Conversion certificate No.ALN.SR.2017/1970-71 of Nagadevanahalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Dt:-31.12.1973, Measuring East to West:70' Feet, and North to South :120' Feet , totally measuring 8400 Sqft, Presently coming under the limits of BBMP, Bangalore vide amalgamated Katha No.2561/2047/4/31, 32/1, 35/224, 223, 195 & 196 and bounded on : - East by:- Road, West by:- Road, North by:- Site No.197 & Site No.222, South by:- Site No.194 & Site No.225. **Schedule - "B" Property :** 234 Sq.Ft, of Undivided share, right, title and interest in the Schedule "A" Property hereby conveyed by the Vendors to the Purchasers. **Schedule -"C" Property :** Flat No.207 (First Floor), of the building known as " SAMTRUPTI ENCLAVE", constructed on the Schedule A Property, having a Super Built-up area measuring 1050 Square Feet, having RCC Roofing, Vitrified Titles Floors, Sal Wood Doors & Alluminium Windows, and Seperate Electricity connections, Common Water and Sanitation, Including Common Area rights with One Covered Car Parking slot in the Slit Floor , and including all rights, privileges, appurtenances thereto and Bounded on East by:- Flat No.206, West by :- Road (Set Back), North by:- Set Back, South by:- Corridor. **- IN THE NAME OF: 1. Mr. NARASIMHA N, S/o NAGAPPA and 2. Mrs. RAMANJINAMMA N, W/o Mr. NARASIMHA N**			
12	**1) Mr. Srikanth C,** S/o- Mr. Channa Ramaiah **2) Mrs. Sarala C,** D/o- Mr. Chikanna No. 332, 8th Cross, 4th main road, BDA Layout, Avalahalli, Bangalore- 560085	a) **06.12.2016** b) **28.02.2017** c) **Rs. 1,35,81,566.62** plus unapplied interest and costs charges etc.,	a) **25.01.2022 FROM 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM** b) **29.01.2022** c) **29.01.2022 between 1.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	a) **Rs. 1,05,12,000.00** b) **Rs.10,51,200/-** c) **Rs.25,000/-**
	Description of the Immovable Property : TITLE DEED NO- 5217/14-15, DT:- 19.11.2014 All that piece and parcel of the Residential Property bearing BBMP Khatha No.1065/221/222/6/1/6/2/98/3, (earlier Khatha No. 221/222/6/1/6/2/98/3) Previous Portion of Property No.98/3, Old Portion of Property bearing No.6/1 and 6/2, Situated at Hosakerehalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore, South, Now its comes under BBMP Bangalore, Measuring East to West : Northern side:-52'Feet and Southern Side: 60'Feet, North to South : Eastern Side- 45' Feet, in all measuring 2744 Square Feet and bounded on : - East by :- Private Property, West by:- Road, North by :- Road, South by:- Remaining Portion of the same Old Property No. 98/3. **- IN THE NAME OF : Mr. SRIKANTHA C, S/o. CHANNA RAMAIAH**			
13	**1) Mr. Rajanna S.N,** S/o N. Narasaiah # No.20, Shettyhalli, Jalahalli West Post, Bangalore-560015 **2) Mrs. Manjulamma R,** W/o Mr. Rajanna S.N # No.20, Shettyhalli, Jalahalli West Post, Bangalore-560015	a) **28.11.2016** b) **18.02.2017** c) **Rs. 1,52,88,041.00** plus unapplied interest and costs charges etc.,	a) **25.01.2022 FROM 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM** b) **29.01.2022** c) **29.01.2022 between 1.00 PM to 5.00 PM**	a) **Rs. 1,72,50,000.00** b) **Rs.17,25,000/-** c) **Rs.25,000/-**
	Description of the Immovable Property : SALE DEED NO- 8560/ 2014-15, dt:- 15.12.2014 **Item No.1:-** All that piece and parcel of Northern Portion of Site bearing No. 19, Assessment No.19, Shettihalli Village, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk measuring East to West (50+26)/2 Feet and North to South (47+26)/2 Feet, and Bounded on the: East by:- Property of S.N.Ravi, West by:- Property of Nagaraju, North by:- Road, South by:- Property of S.N.Rajanna. **Item No.2:-** All that piece and parcel of Southern Portion of Site bearing No.19, Assessment No.19, Shettihalli Village, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk measuring East to West (58+50)/2 Feet and North to South (28+39)/2 Feet, and Bounded on the: East by:- Property of S.N.MARIYAPPA, West by:- Property of Nagaraju, North by:- Property of S.N. KUMAR, South by:- ROAD. **IN THE NAME OF: Mr.RAJANA S.N, S/O N. NARASAIAH**			

A/C No. 06230210000915, IFSC Code : UCBA0000623
Mr. Bachan Kumar Singh - Mobile No.. 99450 49483, Mr. Atul Kumar Sinha - Mobile No. 70809 45240

Details of known encumbrances: Not Known
TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1) Sale shall be subjected to the Terms & Conditions prescribed in the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002. Detailed terms and Conditions of the sale is available/ Published inthe following websites/ Web Portal: **i) https://ibapi.in, ii) https://mstcecommerce.com/**
2) The Properties are being sold on **"As is Where is Basis" and "As is What is Basis" and" Whatever There is Basis"**
3) The Particulars of Secured Assets specified in the Schedule herein above have been stated to the best of the information of the Authorized Officers , but the Authorized Officer shall not beanswerable for any error, misstatement or Omission in this proclamation.
4) The Sale will be done by the undersigned through e-auction platform provided at the website. **https://mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp on date 29.01.2022 from 1.00 PM to 5.00 PM**
5) It is open to the Bank to appoint a representative and make self-bid and participate in the auction.
6) The final decision is vested with Authorised Officer.

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 10.01.2022

Sd/- Authorised Officer,
UCO Bank

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ISIS terrorists were killed by the Pakistani counterterrorism police in a raid on a hideout in Quetta

GLOBAL WEATHER

LR: Light Rain • HR: Heavy Rain • LS: Light Snow • TDS: Thundershower • LC: Light Cloud • SNY: Sunny

Beijing	1	-9	SNY	Los Angeles	24	8	SNY
Colombo	30	24	TDS	Melbourne	29	18	LC
Dhaka	27	18	LC	Moscow	-9	-15	LC
Dubai	25	16	SNY	New York	-6	-8	SNY
Houston	13	8	LC	Singapore	32	25	LC
Istanbul	10	4	LR	Toronto	-6	-7	LC
London	10	1	LR	Washington	-3	-7	SNY

'No third country should interfere in China-SL ties'

BEIJING

CHINESE Foreign Minister Wang Yi, who held talks with Sri Lanka's top leadership on Sunday, has said that no "third country" should "interfere" in their close ties, in an apparent reference to India's concerns over Beijing's big-ticket strategic projects in the island nation in the Indian Ocean.

Wang, who travelled to Colombo during the weekend from the Maldives on a two-day visit, in his meeting with Sri Lankan Prime Minister Mahinda Rajapaksa said that the friendly relationship between China and Sri Lanka benefits the development of both countries and serves the fundamental interest of both peoples, state-run Xinhua news agency reported.

"It does not target any third party and should not be interfered with by any third party," Xinhua quoted Wang as saying, in a thinly veiled reference to India.

China is seeking to deepen its ties with Sri Lanka making billions of dollars of investments in ports and infrastructure projects amid criticism that they are debt traps. China's takeover of the Hambantota port on 99 years' lease for USD 1.2 billion debt swap drew international concerns over Beijing acquiring strategic assets far away from home by providing heavy loans and investment to smaller nations. The Hambantota port together with Colombo port city project where China is building a new city with reclaimed land in the sea were viewed with concern, especially in India as Beijing seeks to increase its presence in the Indian Ocean. *PTI*

NO PLANS TO INVADE UKRAINE, RUSSIA TELLS US

After hours of negotiations in Geneva, both countries agree on more efforts to prevent a full-blown confrontation

GENEVA

RUSSIA told the United States at tense talks Monday that it had no plans to invade Ukraine, as the two sides agreed to more efforts to keep tensions from turning into a full-blown confrontation.

After more than seven hours of negotiations in Geneva, the Russian and US negotiators both offered to keep talking, though there was no sign of a major breakthrough.

The high-stakes negotiations came amid fears of a Russian invasion of its pro-Western neighbour Ukraine, and with Moscow demanding wide-ranging concessions from Washington and its NATO allies.

Russian Deputy Foreign Minister Sergei Ryabkov said he had assured his US counterpart, Deputy Secretary of State Wendy Sherman, that those fears were unfounded.

"We explained to our colleagues that we have no plans, no intentions to 'attack' Ukraine... There is no reason to fear any escalation in this regard," he told reporters after the talks. He said the United States "took Russian proposals very seriously" and that Moscow was "for the continuation of dialogue".

Sherman said that she offered to make reciprocal moves with Russia on missiles and exercises, but renewed warnings of major costs if Moscow invaded Ukraine. She said the United States was ready to meet again, but that Russia had not offered assurances that it will pull back troops amassed near Ukraine. And she insisted that some of Russia's demands were "simply non-starters", including a ban on NATO's further eastward expansion.

"We will not allow anyone to slam closed NATO's open-door policy," Sherman said.

A US guard walks past the Russian convoy arriving at the US Permanent Mission during talks in Geneva, on soaring tensions over Ukraine, on Monday | AFP

Monday's talks launched a week of diplomacy between Russia and the West after Moscow amassed tens of thousands of troops at the Ukrainian border, drawing the United States into a Cold War-style stand-off. Both sides have set firm lines, with Washington warning that Moscow would face severe diplomatic and economic consequences from an invasion of Ukraine, and Russia demanding broad new security arrangements with the West.

> **We are open to discussing ways we can set reciprocal limits on the size and scope of military exercises and to improve transparency about those exercises. The United States is ready to move as expeditiously as possible under these circumstances**
>
> Wendy Sherman, US Deputy Secretary of State

After Monday's talks, a meeting of the NATO-Russia Council will take place in Brussels on Wednesday, then the permanent council of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE) will meet in Vienna on Thursday with the issue of Ukraine expected to dominate.

Sherman renewed a call on Russia to pull back its troops. If Russia invades, she said, "there will be significant costs and consequences, well beyond what they faced in 2014," when Moscow seized the Crimean peninsula and backed an insurgency in eastern Ukraine.

Ryabkov denounced US threats as "attempts at blackmail and intimidation", but said "I don't think the situation is hopeless". *AFP*

CLASSIFIEDS

PUBLIC NOTICE
CHANGE OF NAME

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SUSAMMA KRISHNAN** Residing at No.732, 4th Block 9th Cross, BBMP Swimming Pool BEL Layout, Vidyaranyapura Bangalore 560097, have changed my name from **SUSAMMA KIZHAMUTTAM JOSEPH** to **SUSAMMA KRISHNAN** vide affidavit dated 07/01/2022 sworn before Notary K.C. Pemmaiah, Bangalore - 560097.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **Subha Asok Kumar,** #30, 1st Cross, 1st Main, PNB Layout, Konanakunte, Bangalore - 560062, hereby declare that I have changed my name to **Subha Parameswaran Rajamma** but in the Passport bears the name of mine as **Subha Asok Kumar** instead of **Subha Parameswaran Rajamma.** Vide affidavit dated 10.01.2022 Sworn to Notary by LAKSHMAIAH Reg. No. 20480.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **(OLD NAME) SAMS TABAREJ AHAMAD KHAN,** S/o. Mohammed Shaqulain, residing at No. 2612, 3rd Cross, 18th Main Road, HAL 2nd Stage, Kodihalli, Bangalore-560008, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) SAMS TABAREJ AHAMAD KHAN** to **(NEW NAME) SHAMS TABAREJ AHAMAD KHAN** vide affidavit Dated 10/01/2022 sworn before Notary B.S.Padmaprasad, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ANANYA KRISHNAN**, residing at No.732, 4th Block, 9th Cross, BBMP Swimming Pool, BEL Layout, Vidyaranyapura, Bangalore - 560097 have changed my name from **ANANYA KRISHNA** to **ANANYA KRISHNAN** vide affidavit date 07/01/2022 sworn before Notary K.C. PEMMAIAH, Bangalore-560097

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **GNANESH C**, S/o. N.S. Chandramohan, aged about 35 years, R/at No. 401, 4th Floor, 19/20, Shabitha Enclave, GKVK Layout, Jakkur Post, Bangalore - 560 064, hereby declare that I have changed my name from **GNANESH C** to **JNANADEEP** vide affidavit dated 10.01.2022 sworn to before S.R. Ravikumar, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SERVICE NO 15323791A** L/HAV Abdulgani Shaik of Unit TV COY, TRG BN-III, MEG & Centre, Bangalore, have changed my Daughter name from **JASMEN SULTHANA** to **JASMIN SULTHANA SHAIK** vide affidavit Dated 03.01.2022 sworn before notary Meer Hassan Bangalore.

Change of Name
I, No 13633561M Rank Ptr Name Sumit Singh son of Shri Virender Singh, resident of Village- Jarwa, Post- Jarwa, Teh-Mahendergarh, Distt-Mahendergarh, State- Haryana have changed my Mother name from **Smt Nirmala Devi to Smt Nirmal Devi** vide affidavit dated 06-01-2022 before Notary Sivakumara.M.N. Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT
I, **MAHESH B.P.**, aged about 46 years, S/o. Late. Puttaswamy Gowda and Nanjamma, Residing at No. 22, 4th Cross, Bhuvaeshwarinagar, Cheluvappa Garden, K.P.Agrahara, Bangalore North, Bangalore-560023, hereby declare that my name in Karnataka Bank and in the Karnataka State Co-operative Apex Bank Ltd. is mentioned as **Mahesha P.** I state that I have corrected / updated my correct name in the Aadhaar Card as **Mahesha B.P.** the expansion of which is Puttaswamy Gowda Banasamudra the said correct name is also mentioned in my PAN Card and D.L. In future transactions and records I may be called and continued as **Mahesha B.P.** vide affidavit dated:10-01-2022 sworn to before K.C.Shashikala Advocate and Notary Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SERVICE NO 15323791A** L/Hav Abdulgani Shaik of Unit TV COY, TRG BN – III, MEG & Center, Bangalore 560033, have changed my Father name from **SHAIDA** to **PONGUPATI SHAIK SHAIDA** and Mother Name From **SK RAMGAN** to **PONGUPATI SHAIK RAMJAN BI**, vide affidavit Dated 05.01.2022 sworn before Notary Meer Hassan Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **PATIL YOGESHKUMAR PRAKASHBHAI,** R/of SMQ 141/2, 6th Camp Air Force Station Jalahalli East, Bangalore 560014, have changed my daughter's name from **AAROHI YOGESH PATIL** to **AAROHI PATIL,** vide Affidavit Dated 06-01-2022 Before Advocate and Notary **S PRAKASH,** Reg No. 7865/09 Bangalore Karnataka.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **AAROSHA GAZI** R/at Flat No. 401, 4th Floor, Zubeda Residency No.3, Laurel Lane, Richmond Road, Bengaluru-560025, have changed my name to **AAROSHA SALMAN SAIT** vide affidavit dated:10/1/2022 Before Notary **H.S.Sakalesh Aradhya** Bangalore

DECLARATION
I, SERVICE NO 15323791A L/HAV Abdulgani Shaik of Unit TV COY, TRG BN – III, MEG & Centre, Bangalore 560033, have changed my Father name **PONGUPATI SHAIK SHAIDA** DOB From **01.07.1957** to **01.01.1959** and Mother Name **PONGUPATI SHAIK RAMJAN BI** DOB From **01.07.1962** to **01.01.1963** Vide Affidavit Dated 05.01.2022 Sworn Before Notary Meer Hassan Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **CIBI CHAKRAVARTHY.N.K** R/at No.D-302, Sterling Residency, HIG RMV 2nd Stage, Dollars Colony, Bengaluru- 560094 have changed my minor son name from **ASHVATH.M.C** to **ASHWATH RAM.C** vide affidavit dated:10/1/2022 Before Notary **H.S.Sakalesh Aradhya** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SHILPA CHANDRATAN NATHANI,** R/at, # 25-9/1, Classic Colony, Sarjapura Road, Kasavanahalli, Bengaluru-560035, have changed my name to **SHILPA PANKAJ BIHANI,** vide affidavit dated: 10-01-2022, before Notary Ramachandrappa .C., Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, SERVICE NO 15331702L NK (L) Mallayya Pujeri of Unit 22 ENGR REGT, 222 FD COY (3 PLN), C/O 56 APO, PIN; 914022, have changed my Daughter name from **VARSHA** to **VARSHA MALLAYA PUJERI** vide affidavit Dated 05.01.2022 sworn before Notary Meer Hassan Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **NASIR KHAN** aged about 68 Years, S/o **Hamid Khan** R/at No.61, 5th Cross, Williams Town Extension, Near Benher School, Pulakeshi Nagar, Bangalore North, Bangalore-560046 in my passport my father name is wrongly mentioned as **ABDUL HAMEED KHAN** insted of **Hamid Khan my father correct name is HAMID KHAN** only vide affidavit dated: 10/1/2022 before Notary **Prakasha. C** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, Mamatha D/o Narayanswamy residing at No.11, Swathi Apartment B No 60, 2nd floor, 6th Main, Appu Rao Road, Near uma Theater, Bangalore - 560018 have changed my name to **Mamatha N** vide affidavit Dated :7.1.2022 Sworn before Notary K.M. Basavaraju, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **SHRUTI .S. PUJAR** Spouse of No 15331702L NK (L) Mallayya Pujeri Residing At Hirebagewadi (Vill & Post), Belagavi (Tk & Dist), Karnataka (State), Pin: 591109, have changed my name from **SHRUTI. S. PUJAR** to **SHRUTI MALLAYYA PUJERI** vide affidavit Dated 05.01.2022 sworn before Notary Meer Hassan Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **NOORAIN REEMA KHANAM** R/at No.111, A 1st Cross 1st Block HBR Layout, Kalyanagar Post, Bangalore-560043 have changed my name to **NOORAIN REEMA KHANUM** vide affidavit dated: 10/1/2022 Before Notary **C.Sharada** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) SHOBHA, W/o No. JC 414416W SUB Rajendra Singh, residing at No. Training Betalian Parachute Regiment Training Centre J.C.Nagar, Bangalore-560006, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) SHOBHA** to **(NEW NAME) SHOBHA KARKI** vide affidavit Dated 07/01/2022 sworn before Notary Sivakumara.M.N., Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, ANAND KULKARNI, R/at No.404, Lalithya Elite, Belathur Main Road, K.Dommasandra, B'luru North, B'luru-560049, have changed my name to **ANAND ARUN KULKARNI,** vide affidavit dated: 10.01.2022, before notary H.G.VENKATARAMU, B'luru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **YEASUDAS, YASUDASAN ISAC and YEASUDAS. R** S/o **Robert R.** R/at No. 550, Vinayaka Nagar, Near Rama Temple A S Palya Bangalore-560017 have changed my name to **YESUDAS** vide affidavit dated:7/1/2022 Before Notary **Shaik Mahaboob** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, No. JC 414416W SUB Rajendra Singh, residing at No. Training Betalian Parachute Regiment Training Centre J.C.Nagar, Bangalore-560006, have changed my Minor Daughter's name from **SAURABH KARKI** to **(NEW NAME) SOURABH KARKI** vide affidavit Dated 07/01/2022 sworn before Notary Sivakumara.M.N., Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, BHAGYA, W/o. Velu, Aged 48yrs, R/at No.50 M S Building, Mothi Nagar, Kalasipalyam, B'luru-560002, have changed my name to **SOWBHAGYA,** vide affidavit dated: 05.01.2022, before notary S.JAYANTH, B'luru.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, **ABDUL GAFFAR SAHIB RASHEED AHMED,** aged 52 years, S/o. Rasheed Ahmed, residing at No.1249, 11th Cross, 1st Stage, 1st Phase, Chandra Layout, Bengaluru-560072, have changed my name to **VALI ABDULLA .R** vide affidavit dated 10-01-2022 sworn before Notary **H.S.SAKALESH ARADHYA,** BENGALURU.

CHANGE OF NAME
I, (OLD NAME) ZEHRA WAHID FATIMA, residing at No. 227, Standlislee Road, Austin Town, Viveknagar, Bangalore-560047, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) ZEHRA WAHID FATIMA** to **(NEW NAME) FATHIMA ZEHRA SHARIFF** vide affidavit Dated 10/01/2022 sworn before Notary Hemalatha.P., Bangalore.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
NOW KNOW YE ALL THAT, my client Mr. Philip George S/o Mr. George Philipose, had executed a SPA in favour of Mr. Conal Cherian Nelson, S/o Mr. Nelson Varghese Cherian on 05.10.2020.
My client has executed a Deed of Cancellation of SPA on 25th October 2021 whereby the SPA dated 05.10.2020 stands Cancelled, Revoked and the nomination and appointment constituted through SPA dated 05.10.2020 stand cancelled.
NOW KNOW YE ALL THAT by the Deed dated 25th October 2021, my client has canceled the said Special Power of Attorney, absolutely and completely and revoked all power or authority thereby and there under given to Mr. Conal Cherian Nelson, S/o Mr. Nelson Varghese Cherian.
NOW KNOW YE ALL THAT by virtue of execution of the Deed dated 25th October 2021, my client Mr. Philip George S/o Mr. George Philipose is not liable for any act done by Mr. Conal Cherian Nelson, S/o Mr. Nelson Varghese Cherian, without seeking ratification from my client and that my client does not ratify and confirm all and whatever act or acts done or performed by Mr. Conal Cherian Nelson, S/o Mr. Nelson Varghese Cherian as he has ceased to have any authority to execute or perform or cause to be done, executed or performed on behalf of my client by virtue of the deed dated 25th October 2021.
My client hereby affirms that by virtue of the execution of the Deed of cancellation dated 25th October 2021 all/any other act/s, action/s performed in connection with movable and immovable properties for which the SPA holder was executed or for the SPA Holder has subscribed his signature on behalf of my client stand/s cancelled as he has ceased to hold any authority to perform any lawful act on behalf of my client.
Please report to the below mentioned contact details if the said Mr. Conal Cherian Nelson, S/o Mr. Nelson Varghese Cherian is found to be acting or carrying out any activates after cancellation of the SPA.
B. SRIKUMARA,
Advocate,
A 201, Adarsh Nivas,
70, Kanakapura Road, Jaraganahalli Circle JP Nagar 6th Phase, Bangalore-560078.

IN THE COURT OF THE HON'BLE CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BENGALURU
P & SC No. 677/2021
BETWEEN: 1) T.C. Sathyanarayana, aged 74 years, S/o late Choudayya, R/at # 77/8, 2nd Main Road, Vayalikaval, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560003. **2) Mrs. Shobha B.S.,** aged 49 years, D/o T.C. Sathyanarayana, R/at # 77/8 2nd Main Road, Vayalikaval, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560003. **3) Mrs. Roopalatha .B.S.,** aged 47 years, D/o T.C. Sathyanarayana, R/at # 77/8 2nd Main Road, Vayalikaval, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560003. **4) Nalini S.J,** aged 44 years, D/o T.C. Sathyanarayana, R/at # 77/8 2nd Main Road, Vayalikaval, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560003. ...**Petitioners**
And: Nil ....Respondent.
PUBLIC NOTICE
Whereas the petitioners have filed the above application under Section 372 of the Indian succession Act 1925, for grant of Succession Certificate in respect assets of Kum. Gunasheela, D/o Sathyanarayana T.C., who died on 31.10.2020 The Petitioner No. 1 is the father and Petitioner No. 2-4 are sisters.
Interested parties are hereby warned to appear in this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on **18.01.2022** at 11 a.m (Hon'ble Addl. City Civil and Sessions Judge CCH-18) to show cause against the petition filed, failing which the matter will be heard and determined exparte.
SCHEDULE
1. Name of Insurance: PNB Metlife India insurance Co. Ltd., for M/s Capgemini, Technology Services India Limited (Empoloyee ID. 1227032, Member ID-A2543), **Policy No.:** 00000644, **Type of Insurance:** Group Insurance Policy, **Sum Assured:** Rs.35,00,000/-, **Loan Attached:** Nill,
2. Name of Insurance: Bajaj Alianz Life Insurance Company Limited, **Policy No.:** 0342306206, **Type of Insurance:** Group Credit Protection plus administered Bajaj Housing Finance Ltd., **Sum Assured:** Rs. 32,39,344/-, **Loan Attached:** Yes As against loan No. 404THT0101876396.
Given under my hand and seal of the Court on 27.12.2021.
By order of the Court Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bangalore.
Anveshana, Advocate,
7/1, 'B' Street, 1st Main Road, 4th Block, Kumara Park West, Seshadripuram, Bengaluru, Karnataka-560020.

IN THE COURT OF THE CITY CIVIL JUDGE AT BENGALURU (CCH-53)
P & SC No.539/2021
Between: 1. Kanthi M .S, W/o late Deepak Arya .G.K, aged about 51 years, **2. Sri. Aniketh Arya,** S/o late Deepak Arya .G.K, aged about 20 years, Both are R/o 569, Renuka Prasad, Sajjan Rao Road, V.V. Puram, Bengaluru-560004. ...**Petitioners**
And: Nil ... Respondent
PUBLIC NOTICE
WHEREAS, the above named petitioners have filed a petition under section 372 of Indian Succession Act, praying for grant of Successions Certificate enabling the Petitioners to seek transfer of the schedule share and other benefits of deceased G.K. Deepak Arya, which is morefully described in the schedule of the petition. The said G.K. Deepak Arya died on 31.10.2012.
Any person having their objection/s for issue of Succession Certificate for transferring the schedule shares in favour of the Petitioners and any person having interest may cause the same by appearing before the court in person or through their Advocate on **17.02.2022** at 11.00 AM failing which the matter will be heard and disposed off in accordance with law.
SCHEDULE SHARES
1. Procter and Gamble health and Hygiene India limited, **2.** BASF India Limited, **3.** Gujarat Hotels Limited, **4.** Aditya Birla Fashions and Retail limited, **5.** Aditya Birla Nuvo limited, **6.** Ultra Tech Cement limited Equity Shares each of Rs.10/- paid up per shares Rs.10/-, **7.** Grasim Industries limited equity shares of Rs.10/-, paid up per share Rs.10/-, **8.** Sandoz India limited equity shares each of Rs.10/- paid up per share Rs.10/-, **9.** Larsen and Toubro limited equity shares each of Rs.10/- paid up per share Rs.10/-, **10.** Pfizer Limited Equity shares each of Rs.10/- paid up per share of Rs.10/-, **11.** Star Paper Mills limited Equity shares, **12.** Aditya Birla Capital Limited equity shares.
Given under my hand and seal of the Court, on 06-01-2022.
By order of the Court, Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bangalore.
Advocate for Petitioners:
Mrs. UMA .C KUMAR GOWDA
No. 210, 10th Cross, 4th Main, BEML Layout, Basaveshwaranagar, Bangalore-560079.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
It is brought to the notice of General Public and to whomsoever it may concern that my client is intending to purchase the immovable property described in the schedule hereunder from **Sri.B.N.UMESH** S/o. Late L.Nanjappa, who claims to be the Owner of the Same..
Any person/s having any claim over the schedule property or any objection/s regarding the transaction may contact the undersigned within **15 days** of publication of this notice, with supporting documents in writing, failing which my client being a bonafide purchaser will go ahead and complete the sale transaction.
SCHEDULE
All that Piece and Parcel of the **Vacant Site bearing No.327, in Soundarya Layout formed over land bearing Sy. No.10/1, of Siddedahalli Village, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk,** Being a Non-agricultural/Converted Residential Site as per Conversion order bearing O.M. No.B.DIS.ALN.SR(N)19/91-92, Date: 27.08.1991 measuring East to West:30 Ft. and North to South :40 Ft. in all measuring 1,200 Sq. Ft, Now Situated within BBMP ward no.14 of Siddedahalli Division Dasarahalli Revenue Zone, and Assigned within BBMP Khatha No.283/Site No.327. And Bounded On The : **East by :** Site No.326; **West by :** Site No.328; **North by :** 30 feet Road; **South by :** Site No.318.
NAGARAJ DAMODAR, ADVOCATE
RAO & RAO ASSOCIATES,
No.554, Near Sai Baba Temple, 13th Cross, Sampige Road, Malleswaram, Bangalore-560003
Mob:9448278827 / 9141678867

Indian Overseas Bank
Information Technology Department
Central Office: 763, ANNA SALAI, CHENNAI-600002
Indian Overseas bank (IOB) invites for the following:
EOI Reference Number: EOI/ITD/002/21-22 dated 07.01.2022
EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR EMPANELMENT OF VENDORS FOR SUPPLY, INSTALLATION, COMMISSIONING AND MAINTENANCE OF SMALL VALUE IT HARDWARE
The EOI document for the above is available in bank's website **https://www.iob.in/tenderlist.aspx**
For EOI details and future amendments, if any, keep referring to the above website.

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER, RWS&S DIVISION, KENDRAPARA.
At : Ichhapur, Post : Shree Baladevjew, Email: eerwsskendrapara@gmail.com
Identification No.RWS/87/2021-2022
Letter No .341 / Dated. 10.01.2022
2nd Corrigendum
O-1699: This corrigendum has been made for the NIT-87 invited online vide this office letter No. 7614 / Dated. 22.12.2021 as there need changes in date for selling, closing, clarification and opening which was on dt. 11.01.2022 (selling date), 27.01.2022 (closing date), 15.01.2022 (clarification date) 20.01.2022 (opening date) as per 1st corrigendum has been extended and to be read as 15.01.2022, 29.01.2022, 19.01.2022 and 31.01.2022 respectively due to unavoidable circumstances. All other terms and condition remain unaltered.

No	Name of Work	Estimated Cost (Approx.) Rs. In Lakhs	Cost of Tender Paper	period of completion
1.	Execution of 40 LPCD Retrofitting RPWS Scheme to **Baro, Gulangar and Ostapur** on clubbed up mode under, **Kendrapara Block** in the District of Kendrapara. **(JJM Funds)**	₹ 369.15	₹10000	330 days
2.	Execution of 40 LPCD Retrofitting RPWS Scheme to **Purusottampur, Bhagabatpur and Kuturanga** on clubbed up mode under **Kendrapara Block** in the District of Kendrapara. **(JJM Funds)**	₹ 321.98	₹10000	330 days

Sd/-
Executive Engineer, RWS&S Division, Kendrapara
OIPR-25004/11/0042/2122

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER, RWS & S DIVISION, BARGARH
Email:-eerwss_bgh@nic.in, Ph (O):-06646 233220, FAX :- 06646 234626
No.151 / Dt.07.01.2022
GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA "e" PROCUREMENT NOTICE
Bid Identification No. 11 of 2021-22
O-1678: The Executive Engineer, RWS&S Division, Bargarh on behalf of the Governor of Odisha invites tenders from the valid licensed holder contractors of class **'B' or 'A'** registered with any department of State Government or equivalent class of Central Govt. etc. to be eventually drawn up in G2 Contract Form for the work as per terms and condition noted below.
1. Name of the work :- Execution of Improvement with retrofitting of Rural piped water supply to different villages on clubbed up mode under Padampur & Jharbandha Block in the District Bargarh - 5 Nos
2. Approx. Estimated cost :- **Rs. Varies from Rs 79.21 to 299.30 lakhs**
3. Date and time of availability of document in the portal:- **Dt 25.01.2022 to Dt 23.02.2022 up to 5.00 P.M**
4. Last date/ time for receipt of bids in the portal :- **Dt. 23.02.22 up to 5.00 P.M**
5. Date & time of Opening of Tender :- **24.02.22 at 11.00 A.M.**
6. Name and address of the Officer Inviting Bid :- **Executive Engineer, RWS&S Division, Bargarh, District :- Bargarh**

Further details can be seen from the e-procurement portal **"http//tendersorissa.gov.in".** The authority reserves the right to reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason thereof.
Sd/-Executive Engineer, RWS&S Division, Bargarh OIPR-25157/11/0014/2122

EXPRESS READ

Kazakh president says 'attempted coup' defeated

ALMATY: Kazakhstan President Kassym-Jomart Tokayev said on Monday his country had defeated an attempted coup d'etat during historic violence last week, and insisted that Russian-led troops called in to help quell the unrest would go home "soon". During a video conference of leaders from several ex-Soviet countries in a military alliance that sent in the troops, Tokayev's Russian counterpart Vladimir Putin confirmed they would leave as soon as their mission ended. AFP

Explosion kills nine kids in Afghanistan

Kabul: An explosion in eastern Afghanistan near the border with Pakistan on Monday killed nine children and wounded four, according to the office of a Taliban-appointed governor. A statement from the governor's office said the blast took place when a cart selling food items struck an old, unexploded mortar shell in Lalopar, in the Nagarhar province. AP

Suu Kyi gets four more years in prison

BANGKOK

A COURT in Myanmar sentenced ousted leader Aung San Suu Kyi to four more years in prison on Monday after finding her guilty of illegally importing and possessing walkie-talkies and violating Covid restrictions, a legal official said.

Suu Kyi, 76, was convicted last month on two other charges and given a four-year prison sentence, which was then halved by the head of the military-installed government.

The cases are among about a dozen brought against the Nobel Peace Prize laureate since the army seized power last February, ousting her elected government and arresting top members of her National League for Democracy party. If found guilty of all the charges, she could be sentenced to more than 100 years in prison.

Suu Kyi's supporters and analysts say the charges against her are contrived to legitimise the military's seizure of power and prevent her from returning to politics.

Monday's verdict in the court in the capital, Naypyitaw, was conveyed by a legal official who insisted on anonymity for fear of being punished by the authorities, who have restricted the release of information about Suu Kyi's trials. *AP*

Market Watch

MARKET			FOREX	
650.98	Sensex	60,395.63	Dollar	74.05
190.60	Nifty	18,003.30	Euro	83.78

Foxconn to resume TN plant ops in phases

As state govt okays quality of hostels, 100 employees will be called in first phase beginning Wednesday, says firm

C SHIVAKUMAR @Chennai

FOXCONN will resume operations in a phased manner at its facility in Tamil Nadu from Jan 12 and employees will be called in to report in batches, according to official sources.

A Kancheepuram district official told *TNIE* that under phase-I, a total of 100 employees will start working. This comes after the state government checked the quality of hostels and found it to be satisfactory.

The Tamil Nadu government advised Foxconn to improve the working condition of its employees and directed the organisation to ensure quality hostel facilities and food for the contract workers. The government intervention came after 159 persons suffered acute diarrhoeal disease at a dormitory in International Maritime Academy in Puduchattiram village of Tiruvallur district. This sparked protests and complaints by employees seeking basic amenities at hostels.

Meanwhile, Jimmy Huang, deputy spokesperson, Corporate Communications, Hon Hai Technology Group (Foxconn) in Taiwan, said that the company has been working on a series of improvements to fix issues at the offsite dormitory facilities at Sriperumbudur and to enhance the services.

"We have implemented a range of corrective actions to ensure this cannot happen again and a rigorous monitoring system to ensure workers can raise any concerns they may have, including anonymously," said Huang.

"We will gradually begin to welcome back team members as each offsite dormitory becomes ready and is approved. We continue to support our employees and thank them for their patience as we work through the improvements," he stated.

A local Foxconn official said that the plant will start functioning from Wednesday. "The employees will be provided the same hostels but we have improved it," she said.

Meanwhile, many of the employees, mostly women, said they have yet to be intimated by the company on resumption of operations. An employee said that her parents are unwilling to send her back. "Many of my friends in Ramanathapuram and Thoothukudi are also unwilling to join again. My decision depends on whether my parents will allow me or not," she added.

Employees from rural areas in Thoothukudi, Tiruchy, Vellore and Ramnad have been working for a paltry sum of ₹10,000 after being approached by agents who promised them food and hostel facilities.

Budget unlikely to allow overseas listing of start-ups

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE Union Budget this year is unlikely to give start-ups the much-needed relief allowing them to list overseas. Government officials have said that the issue is unlikely to be resolved so easily and need wider discussion.

Venture capital and private equity funds have been demanding for a long time that start-ups be allowed to directly list overseas.

Anurag Jain, Secretary, Department of Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade, recently said that the government is engaging with the start-up community and is trying to understand their need to list overseas. "Why should we allow our start-ups to go overseas for listing," said Jain.

He said that DPIIT is in talks with revenue and other departments to resolve the issue.

In a recent meeting of the Prime Minister with VCs and PE fund managers ahead of the budget, the issue was raised by investors and the government hinted that it may decide on the matter soon. Those discussions had raised the hope of the start-up community that the decision in this regard may be taken in the budget. However, going by the government official response, it is unlikely that that the budget would have anything on the overseas listing.

Experts say allowing overseas listing is one big bang reform that the start-ups are hoping for. They say that while the market regulator — Securities and Exchange Board of India (Sebi) — has done a lot to make it easier to list in India, listing abroad has the dual advantages of speed and liquidity.

BUDGET FY2023 RUN-UP

"There is also greater maturity in terms of market expectations from loss making but highly scalable tech ventures, which some fear might be missing in Indian markets," says Utkarsh Sinha of Bexley Advisors, an advisory firm that supports tech/media companies & investors in early funding rounds.

The government has been reluctant to allow domestic start-ups to directly list overseas as it is keen to keep the value creation on-shore.

Experts also believe that listing in India would allow the government to have greater oversight and target the right policies for the sector.

AT ₹53,510 CRORE

TRAI: Telecom sector AGR grows 4.24% in July-Sept 2021

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

TELECOM sector in India witnessed a growth of 4.24% in Adjusted Gross Revenue (AGR) in the July to September quarter 2021, according to latest data of Telecom Regulatory Authority of India.

The Gross Revenue (GR) and Adjusted Gross Revenue (AGR) of telecom service sector for this quarter are ₹67,300 crore and ₹53,510 crore, respectively. Thus, GR increased by 3.86% and AGR increased by 4.24% in July to September quarter 2021, as compared to previous quarter. "The Y-O-Y growth in GR and AGR in Q.E. Sep-21 over the same quarter in last year has been -1.36% and 17.07%, respectively," reads the data.

Adjusted Gross Revenue (AGR) is the usage and licencing fee that telecom operators are charged by the Department of Telecommunications (DoT).

The industry also registered growth in monthly average revenue per user (ARPU) for wireless service, which increased by 3.34%, from ₹104.66 to ₹108.16 in the quarter. On a year on year basis, monthly ARPU increased by 11.65% in this quarter.

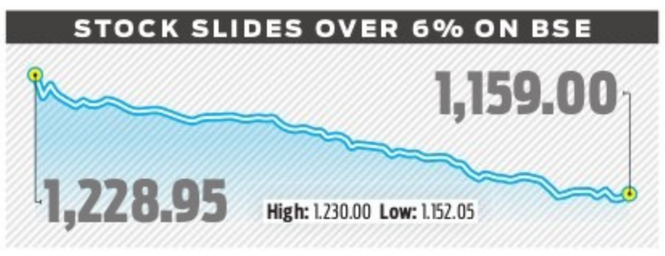
"Prepaid ARPU per month increased from ₹99 in QE Jun-21 to ₹102.16 in QE Sep-21, however, postpaid ARPU per month decreased from ₹215 in QE Jun-21 to ₹212.28 in QE Sep-21," reads the data.

The study also highlighted the hike in the licence fee as it increased from ₹4,103 crore to ₹4,271 crore in this quarter.

Paytm stock at record low; loan disbursal up 401%

UMA KANNAN @ Bengaluru

STOCK SLIDES OVER 6% ON BSE



SHARES of Paytm parent company One97 Communications hit a record low on Monday after brokerage firm Macquarie gave an 'underperform' rating and set the target price of the company at ₹900 from ₹1,200 earlier.

The stock fell over 6% to a record low of ₹1,151 apiece on BSE and closed at ₹1,157.90.

"We believe our revenue projections, particularly on the distribution side, is at risk," Macquarie said in a note.

It also noted that senior executives have been resigning from the company, which is a cause of concern.

Recently, Renu Satti, Chief Operating Officer, Offline Payments, and Abhishek Arun, Chief Operating Officer, Paytm Payments Bank, have quit the company. Following this, the company elevated Bhavesh Gupta, CEO, Paytm Lending, to take on the leadership for the offline payments vertical.

The brokerage firm also said that the RBI's proposal to cap charges on digital payments could impact the company's revenue significantly.

In November 2021, after its listings, the company reported that its net loss widened 11% at ₹482 crore in the second quarter ended September 30, 2021.

Meanwhile, One97 Communications said in its filings on Monday that its lending business scaled rapidly. The number of loans disbursed through the company's platform increased by 401 % y-o-y to 4.4 million loans in Q3 FY22. It disbursed loans amounting to ₹2,180 crore, an increase of 365% Y-o-Y.

"We have seen stellar growth in each of the lending products, i.e. Paytm Postpaid (buy-now-pay-later), personal loans and merchant loans," the company said.

It said the gross merchandise volume (GMV) in Q3FY22 grew 123% to ₹2,50,100 crore. It said the year-to-date GMV is already higher than all of FY21, led by significant non-UPI GMV growth.

Nifty reclaims 18,000-mark after two months

New Delhi: The benchmark Nifty index reclaimed the 18,000 level after almost two months as equity markets started the week on a strong note in expectation that India Inc would post good third quarter results. On Monday, the Nifty closed at 18,003, up 191 points, or 1.07%, from its previous close, while another benchmark index Sensex rose 651 points to close at 60,395. The positive sentiments were shared by the broader market as The Bank Nifty closed 1.6% at 38,348, Nifty Midcap100 and Nifty Smallcap 100 closed 0.9% and 1.3% higher respectively. Auto, banking and IT sector stocks were the top gainers of the day. UPL Ltd was the top gainer among Nifty 50 stocks with 4.57% gain followed by Hero Moto (3.38%), Titan (3.14%) and SBI (2.75%).

TODAY'S STOCK PICK

GLAND PHARMA
Current Price ₹3,857
Target Price ₹4,550

We remain positive on GLAND based on its a) robust product pipeline, b) faster geographic expansion in the ROW markets and volume gains in existing products among others. We expect 34% earnings CAGR over FY21-23E.

— Motilal Oswal Securities Limited

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INDIA LIKELY TO ADD 16 GW RENEWABLE CAPACITY BY FY23

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

INDIA'S renewable energy capacity addition is estimated to touch 16 GW in the next financial year in view of the strong pipeline of 55 GW clean energy projects, as per a study by ICRA. The study reads the renewable energy capacity addition to increase from 7.4 GW reported in FY21 to 12.5 GW in FY22 and further to 16 GW in FY23.

"The outlook for the capacity addition in the Renewable Energy (RE) sector remains strong with a large project pipeline of over 55 GW and the highly competitive tariffs offered by these projects," said the rating agency in a statement. The capacity addition witnessed a strong recovery in the first eight months of FY'2022 (April to November 2021) with 8.2 GW added against 3.4 GW added in the year-ago period.

The commitment to climate change goals announced at the recent COP26 summit, including increasing the non-fossil power capacity to 500 GW and meeting 50% of energy needs from renewable sources by 2030, further strengthens the investment prospects in the sector.

Start-up fraternity should nurture 75 more unicorns in 2022, says minister

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

ENTREPRENEURS must start thinking of making our start-ups more resilient and start-ups can play a very important role to socialise and democratise the availability of healthcare across the world, Commerce and Industry Minister Piyush Goyal said on Monday.

Inaugurating the Startup India Innovation Week (Jan 10-16), organised by the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT), the minister said, start-ups have turned Covid-19 into an opportunity from a crisis. 2021 will always be remembered as the year of unicorns with the third largest (82 unicorns) number of unicorns anywhere in the world. He also added that this year, the start-up fraternity should nurture 75 more unicorns.

"Start-ups are the key reason behind India's meteoric rise in the global innovation index from 76 in 2014 to 46 in 2021," Goyal said, adding that the country has cracked the top 50 and that "we need to aspire to reach the top 25" on the global innovation index.

The minister said venture capitalists and financers can play a key role in mentoring young start-ups.

During 2018-2021, start-ups have created over 6 lakh jobs, and in 2021 alone, they created over 2 lakh jobs. He said that the government has taken steps such as reduction in patent filing fees and relaxation of public procurement norms to encourage start-ups.

The e-commerce industry in India is booming with both major players and new players. ONDC helps in creating a platform — open-source — for all online retailers.

The minister said, "We are actively working on the open network for digital commerce that will be a game changer and help our entrepreneurs to save cost. This new initiative provides a huge opportunity for emerging start-ups and bridges the gap between big e-commerce players and new start-ups."

While UPI transforms the fintech ecosystem, ONDC plays a similar role for the commerce start-ups.

Speaking at a panel discussion, PhonePe founder Sameer Nigam and Paytm President and Group CFO Madhur Deora said ONDC will help SMEs as it is an open network. Also, buyers can reach sellers across platforms.

GOVT REPORT

Participation of women workers goes up to 32% in July-Sept '21

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE over-all percentage of female workers has gone up to 32.1 from 29.3% reported during the first round of QES, the Labour Ministry said on Monday.

Total employment generated by nine select sectors stood at 3.10 crore in the July-September 2021 quarter, which is 2 lakh more than that of the April-June period, according to Quarterly Employment Survey (QES) for the second quarter of the current fiscal.

The report, released by Union Minister for Labour & Employment Bhupender Yadav covers establishments with 10 or more employees across nine sectors, including manufacturing, construction, trade, transport, education, health, accommodation and restaurant, IT/BPO and financial services, accounting for a majority of the total employment in the non-farm establishments.

As per the survey, of the total employment estimated in the selected nine sectors, manufacturing accounted for nearly 39%, followed by education with 22% and health as well as IT/BPOs sectors both around 10%. Trade and transport sectors engaged 5.3% and 4.6% of the total estimated workers respectively.

Cash crisis forced Kotak to refuse IPO financing to BharatPe founder?

DIPAK MONDAL @ New Delhi

AS Kotak Wealth Management finds itself in a public spat with Ashneer Grover, founder of fintech company BharatPe, sources say that cash crunch with the NBFC that does IPO financing for wealth management firm's clients was the reason for its inability to finance an IPO subscription request by Grover.

While the legal notice sent by Ashneer Grover to Kotak Wealth insinuates that Kotak refused to finance the IPO subscription due to 'erratic FII movements' and 'very high lending rates', sources told *TNIE* that the real reason was severe cash crunch with the NBFC.

Kotak Wealth Management offers IPO financing services through Kotak Mahindra group's NBFC arm as banks are not allowed to offer IPO financing services.

BharatPe founder in the legal notice sent to Kotak Mahindra group has alleged that despite having repeatedly assuring him that Nykaa IPO would be allotted to him, on Oct 28 Kotak informed him that it would not be able to provide IPO financing.

The legal notice, which was sent on Oct 30, 2021, demanded that Kotak provide IPO financing for the Nykaa IPO and allocate shares of FSN worth ₹500 crore to Grover before the closing of the IPO on Nov 1.

Though the legal notice did not come in public then, a recent leak of a recorded conversation between Grover and a Kotak Wealth executive, in which the BharatPe founder could be heard hurling abuses, opened the can of worms. Though Ashneer Grover initially denied it was his voice, the controversy took another turn when the legal notice sent to Kotak was leaked to the media on Sunday.

Kotak, which had initially kept mum, had to issue a statement on Sunday admitting that they indeed have received such a notice from Grover and that it had been replied. Kotak also placed on record its objections to inappropriate language used by Grover, and said it is pursuing legal action.

Hiring for leadership roles rises 55% in 2021: Report

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

LEADERSHIP/top management (with more than 15 years) professionals witnessed the maximum growth in hiring in 2021 at 55%, according to Monster Annual Trends report released on Monday. This was a result of an increased need for revival of businesses, new policies, and implementation of the same across organisations, says the report.

"Leaders were an essential asset to chart courses and help companies adapt, evolve, and transform, and many of these openings are expected to result from the need to replace professionals who have transferred, exited, or retired from the labour force," it says.

Top management professionals were most in demand for IT, telecom, and sales & business development. Mid-senior level (7-10 years) and intermediate (4-6 years) professionals saw an uptick of 31% and 27% respectively. While senior level (11-15 years) professionals indicated an 18% growth, demand for entry-level (0-3 years) showed 12% growth in the past year.

EXPRESS READ

India Inc's overseas investment dips over 8% in Dec '21: RBI

Mumbai: Outward foreign direct investment by Indian companies fell by over 8% to $2.05 billion in December 2021 in the current fiscal, data from the RBI showed on Monday. Of the total investment made by the Indian companies, $1.22 billion was in the form of issuance of guarantees, $464.39 million was equity participation and $367.17 million investment was made through loans, as per the RBI data.

115 companies file applications under PLI scheme for auto sector

New Delhi: As many as 115 companies have filed applications to seek benefits under the production linked incentive (PLI) scheme for automobile and auto component sector, the heavy industries ministry said on Monday. The scheme was notified on Sept 23, 2021. The scheme was open for receiving applications till Jan 9. Incentives are applicable for sales of automotive products manufactured in India.

Smoor to open 28 new stores in 6 months: CEO

SAMIKSHA GOEL @New Delhi

LUXURY chocolate brand Smoor is set to open at four new locations in Mumbai and one in Bengaluru by the end of this month or mid February, depending on how the Covid situation unfolds.

In Mumbai, it plans to open in Bandra, Powai, Airport T1, Vashi and Thane and in Bengaluru, it's set to launch another store in Whitefield, Founder-Director and CEO of Smoor Vimal Sharma informed in an interaction with *TNIE*.

Detailing about the immediate expansion strategy, Sharma said, in the next six months, the company plans to open about 28 new stores — 15 new locations in Mumbai, five in Delhi, five more in Bengaluru and three in Chennai.

The Bengaluru-based start-up entered the Chennai market in the December quarter. "The December quarter in 2021 was strong; we increased the revenue by 2x in the quarter," Sharma said, adding the business is on track to grow 60% this fiscal year as compared to the last year.

The focus in 2022, he says, is on product development for the online market, which would help them scale faster. "For instance, we have invested in technology that allows us to move the product fast and increase its shelf life."

Sharma says the luxury chocolate market in India is estimated at ₹3,500 crore and it's growing 20% year-on-year.

He mentioned the company is in the market to raise Series A funds and is in serious discussion with some prime equity firms. "We expect to be in a position to close this by June this year." In the next four years, Smoor is looking at a turnover of ₹500 crore.

The strategy for the brand is to accelerate to wider markets. "Creating online platform and expanding through cloud kitchens would give us acceleration. We also want to accelerate our retail stores through airports," Sharma said.

DOCUMENTS LOST

I, **SRINIVASA A**, residing at No. B004 Lakshmidevi Enclave, # 12 1st C Main Behind HMT Bhavan, Ganganagar, Bangalore-560 032 do hereby inform to the General Public that while renovating my flat, I have lost the following documents.

1. Sale Deed of Property of Muneshwara Block, Cholanagar conveying from Smt. Mahadevamma to A. Srinivas, Sale Deed Doc. No. 2791/11-12, in Sub-Registrar (Hebbal) Cholanayakanahalli.

2. Sale Deed of property above stated conveyed from Shri Darukaradhya to Smt. Mahadevamma. registered as Doc. No. 1219/11-12, dated 28.07.2011.

3. Katha Certificate issued by BBMP transferring title from Shri Darukaradhya to Smt. Mahadevamma.

Inspite of best efforts I could not trace the same and in this regard on 12-08-2021, I had lodged police complaint at Police Unit, Bangalore City, Vide Lost Report No. 0027402/2021. If anybody finds the above said documents or is in possession, please handover the same to the above said address or contact me on 7899360702

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas Ananda B.N. S/o Narayanappa B, aged about 52 years, residing at D.Palya, Gotakanapura, Gowribidanur Taluk, Kalludi, Chikkaballapur, Karnataka-561208, hereby issue this public notice for kind knowledge of public as the registered sale deed registered as document No. 11737/1997-98, dt 03.04.1998 has been misplaced/lost while shifting my house and same has been complained before the jurisdictional police and numbered as lost report No. 0123556/2021, dated 29.12.2021.

Whereas I have not deal with anybody in any manner in respect of the said sale deed and I hereby declare if anybody comes through the sale deed for any kind of transactions or any kind of deal is not binding on me and the same will become null and void.

Whereas the I further request to the public if anybody found the same kindly return the same.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Gramatana Assessment No. 22, Katha No. 42 Kaneshumari No. 42, situated at Bangalore North Taluk, Dasanapura Hobli, bounded on **East by:** Road, **West by:** 120, **North by:** Property No. 43, **South by:** Road.

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POSSESSION NOTICE Section 13(4) (For Immovable Property)

Whereas: The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the **Canara Bank** under Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **06.04.2021** calling upon the borrower **Smt. Bhavya P. S**, W/o Sri Ravi Kumar C and **Sri Ravi Kumar C**, S/o G Chandrappa to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice, being **Rs. 38,54,002.02** (Rupees Thirty Eight Lakhs Fifty Four Thousand and Two and Paise Two only) as on **03.04.2021** within 60 days from the date of the said notice.

The Borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section13 (4) of the said 'Act read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rule on this **10th day of January 2022.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the. property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Canara Bank** for an amount of **Rs. 38, 54, 002.02** (Rupees Thirty Eight Lakhs Fifty Four Thousand and Two and Paise Two only) as on **03.04.2021** and interest thereon and any other charges.

The Borrower's Attention is invited to the Provisions of Section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the Secured Assets.

Description of the Immovable Property

All the Residential Land and Building on Site Bearing No A76, E Khata No 150200102600106830 formed in layout known as "Upkar Solitaire" comprising of Sy No 347 of Attibele Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban Dist, Vide Khata No 6619/A76 measuring East to West 40 feet, North to South 30 feet, Totally measuring 1200 Sft and bounded on : East by: Site No A 59, West by: Road, North : Site No A 77, South By: Site No A75.

Property standing in the name of **Smt. Bhavya P. S, W/o Sri Ravi Kumar C and Sri Ravi Kumar C, S/o G Chandrappa.**

Date : 10.01.2022
Place : Bangalore

Sd/-Authorized Officer
Canara Bank.

KRISHNA BHAGYA JALA NIGAMA LIMITED
(A GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA UNDERTAKING)

Office of the Executive Engineer, KBJNL, Dam Division, Narayanpur-585219 Taluk Hunasagi, Dist.:Yadagir

IFT No. KBJNL/DDN/PB/DRIP-II/P-1/2021-22/1449 Date: 10.01.2022

NATIONAL OPEN COMPETITIVE PROCUREMENT TENDER NOTIFICATION
(ONLY THROUGH E PROCUREMENT SYSTEM)

National Open Competitive Procurement Tender in electronic mode on item rate basis is invited from the eligible tenderers vide this office tender notification No.KBJNL/EE/DDN/DRIP-II/P-1/TENDER/2021-22/1448 Dtd. 10.01.2022 by the undersigned on behalf of Managing Director, KBJNL, Bangalore. The tender will be offered through e-procurement system only and will be in two covers system viz Technical Bid and Financial Bid. The tenderers can access e tender document through website: **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in** and can be submitted through electronic mode only.

The details of work put to tender and the category of contractors eligible is as under

No.	Name of Work	Approximate amount put to tender (Rs.in Lakhs)	EMD (Rs in Lakhs)	Transaction Fee Rs.	Stipulated period for completion of Work	Category /Class of Contractor Eligible
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Treatment of Masonry Dam for Block No.38 to 52 below MDDL RL 486.00 M including arresting observed leakages in Drainage gallery of Concrete over flow section of Narayanpur Dam (Package-I) under DRIP Phase-II	2171.15	INR 21.72	As per e-Procurement	18 months (Including Rainy Season	Bidders registered with the Government of India or other State Governments/Central Government Undertakings

The intending bidders are requested to submit any queries not later than **24.01.2022** through the e-procurement portal only or raise enquiries during the pre-Bid meeting. All the queries will be answered in the pre-Bid meeting.

The Calender of Events of bidding process is as under:

Sl.No.	Calender of Events	Dates
1	The Tenderer can have access to the e-tender technical bid document in the website: www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in on payment of e-cash towards transaction fee as per e-procurement	**From 17.01.2022 to18.02.2022 up to 5.00 PM**
2	Pre-Bid meeting at the Office of the Managing Director, KBJNL,PWD Annex III Floor, K.R.Circle, Bengaluru	**28.01.2022 11.00 AM**
3	Last date of receipt of queries from the prospective bidders	**24.01.2022 up to 5.00 PM**
4	Last date for submission of completed tender documents	**18.02.2022 up to 5.00 PM**
5	Date of Opening of technical bid at O/o.Managing Director, KBJNL,PWD Annex, III Floor, K.R.Circle Bengaluru	**21.02.2022 at 11.00 AM**
6	Date of Opening of Financial bid at O/o Executive Engineer, KBJNL, Dam Division, Narayanpur	**Will be intimated to the qualified bidders after approval to Technical Bid.**

Further information can be had from the Office of the undersigned during office hours.

Sd/-
(Shankar H.Naikodi)
Executive Engineer, KBJNL,Dam Division, Narayanpur

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No.: KSFIC/TEC/KSRP/2021-22 **Date: 01.01.2022**

E-Procurement Tender Notification

Tenders are invited through e-procurement portal for supply of Rifle Stands and Pistol Stands made from Acacia Wood. The tender documents can be obtained from e-procutement portal **www.eproc. karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Deputy Conservator of Forests and Regional Manager

DIPR/DDU/JA/2779/2021-22

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National Health Mission
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No: dhfwo/nhm/cphc-uhc/cho recruitment/466 /2021-22
Date: 07/01/2022

Notification

Applications call for selection of Nurse Community health officer on contract basis

National Health Mission, Karnataka invites candidates who are willing to serve the community by bringing Comprehensive healthcare services to the doorsteps of the community through selected Health Sub-Centers as Health Wellness Centers in Koppal

District Health and Family Welfare Society Koppal invites applications from the interested Candidates with graduation in BSc Nursing/Post Basic B.Sc Nursing. Having valid KNC/ INC Nursing certificates.

Designation: Community Health Officers (CHOs). **No. Of Posts:** 13 posts. **Qualifications:** B.sc Nursing/Post Basic B.Sc Nursing from a recognized/University Registered with State Nursing Council recognized by KNC/INC.**Age Limit:** Less than 35 years of age; however, less than 40 years for the SC/ST, Category-I and Ex-service men; 38 years in case of candidates belonging to Category-II(a), II(b), III(a) and III(b) of other backward classes of the State as on Notification dateShall be domicile of Karnataka (10 years) with taken Kannada as 1one language in 10th/SSLC having fluency in Kannada and English. Note: If HK candidate are NOT Available, Non Kalyana Karnataka (Non HK) candidates will be selected under HK quota (Since it is >3rd notification. **Monthly Salary:** Consolidated remuneration of Rs.24200/-(HPD District)Rs.22,000/-(Non- HPD Districts) + up to Rs.8000/- (incentive based on performance) per month

Application to be submitted in: Online Only

1. Start of online registration system: 06/01/2022. **2. Start of online payment gateway:** 06/01/2022. **3. Last date of submission of online application form:** 23/ 01/ 2022 **Time 5:00pm. 4. Written Test and result declaration:** 29/ 01 / 2022. **5. Original Documents Verification for selected:** 01/ 02/ 2022

For details logon to**http://karunadu.gov.in/hfw/pages/home.aspx**

Note: Any corrigendum(s) to the recruitment shall be published on the above website

Sd/- District Health and Family Welfare officer, District Koppal,

DIPR/Koppal/463/MCA/2021-22

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POSSESSION NOTICE [See Rule 8(1) of SARFAESI RULES]

Whereas: The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **Canara Bank Lingarajapuram Branch, Bengaluru** under Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (2) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 has issued a Demand Notices calling upon the Borrower/ Mortgagors/ Guarantors to repay the amount mentioned In the notice within **60 days** from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrower/Guarantor/Mortgagor having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower/Mortgagors/Guarantors and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on below mentioned dates.

The Borrower/Guarantor/Mortgagor in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Canara Bank,** for an amount interest and Other Charges mentioned below.

The The Borrower/Guarantor/Mortgagor attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

1. Name and Address of the Borrower/Guarantor/Mortgagor : 1) Mr. Sameeruddin Khan, 36/1, Safeer Mansion, Opp. Vijaya Laxmi Industries, Hennur Main Road, Bangalore -43 **Guarantor: Mr. Gayasuddin Khan,** 36/1, Safeer Mansion, Opp. Vijaya Laxmi Industries, Hennur Main Road, Bangalore -43.

Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.15,35,025/- (Rupees Fifteen Lakh Thirty Five Thousand And Twenty Five only) and interest thereon.

Demand Notice Dated : 31.03.2021 **Possession Notice Date: 06.01.2022**

Description of the Immovable Properties

Name of Title holder: Mr. Sameeruddin Khan

All that piece and parcel of commercial property municipal No. 36/1-1, G-B, PID No. 728/36/1-1-G-B, Khata No.728/36/1-1, G-B in the ground floor, which consists of open hall with open space along with the super built up area measuring 1134 Sq Ft. of the multi storied building bearing B block of commercial property known as "Creator Safir Central" along with proportionate share in common areas such as common entrance, passages, lift, lobbies, front staircase, contained in the said building, presently coming within the jurisdiction of BBMP bounded on: East by : site no. 2 sold to Sahabuddin khan, West by : Road, North by : Private property, South by : property G-A. (vendors property site no. 11and 12)

2. Name and Address of the Borrower/Guarantor/Mortgagor : Mr. Aiyappa M M, No. 25/2 1st Floor, Lakshmaiah Building, DN Layout, Maruthi Seva Nagar Bangalore -33. **Guarantor: Sri Chengappa K.S. S/o Late Somaiah K B,** No. 663, 8th Cross, Channa Keshava Nagar, Hosa Road, Bangalore - 560100 **Also at:** No. 24, 4th Main Road, Saraswathi Puram, Mysore-570009.

Total amount mentioned in the notice : Rs.16,29,106.48/- (Rupees Sixteen Lakh Twenty Nine Thousand One Hundred Six And Forty Eight Paise only) and interest thereon.

Demand Notice Dated : 31.03.2021 **Possession Notice Date: 06.01.2022**

Description of the Immovable Properties

Name of Title holder: Mr. Aiyappa M M.

Apartment bearing No.104, 1st Floor, 'Tejaswini Enclave' constructed on property bearing Nos 32, 33, 34 (portion of Sy.Nos 130/1 later 33/5) old Khatha Nos33/5-3. 33/5-4, 33/5-5, present BBMP Khatha No.33/5-3, Banaswadi Gross Road, Extention Layout, Jai Bharat Nagar, Bangalore, measuring 1522 Sq ft, of Super built-up area along with 363 Sq ft of undivided share, right, title and interest in the entire land together with one covered car parking space and the entire land is bounded on the: East by : Site No.35, Measuring mon that side 75 feet, West by : Property belonging to MEG measuring on that side 55 feet and 6 inches, North by : Common Passage,South : Property belonging to MEG measuring on that side 95 feet and 6 inches.

Date : 06.01.2022
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/-Authorized Officer
Canara Bank

QuoteExpress IF YOU'RE GOING THROUGH HELL, KEEP GOING › WINSTON CHURCHILL

ಮುಖ್ಯ ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು,
ಬಾಗಲಕೋಟೆ ಪಟ್ಟಣ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪ್ರಾಧಿಕಾರ, ಬಾಗಲಕೋಟೆ

ಕ್ರ.ಸಂ.:ಪುಅ:ಮುಇಂ:ಬಾಪಅಪ್ರಾ:ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನ:ಸಿ.ಆರ್:2021–22/4659 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 10.01.2022

ವಿಷಯ: ಬಾಗಲಕೋಟೆ ಪಟ್ಟಣ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪ್ರಾಧಿಕಾರದ ಯುನಿಟ್–1ರಲ್ಲಿ ವಸತಿ ಮತ್ತು ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಬಹಿರಂಗ ಹರಾಜು ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ:17.12.2021

ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿ ಪತ್ರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ಪ್ರಸ್ತಾವನೆ: ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ವಿಷಯಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ, ಬಾಗಲಕೋಟೆ ಪಟ್ಟಣದ ನವನಗರದ ಯುನಿಟ್–01 ರಲ್ಲಿ ವಸತಿ ಹಾಗೂ ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನ ಬಹಿರಂಗ ಹರಾಜು ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯನ್ನು ಮುಇಂ/ಪುಅ/ಬಾ.ಪ.ಅ.ಪ್ರಾ/ಹರಾಜುಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ/ಸಿ.ಆರ್–/2021–22/4425 ದಿನಾಂಕ:17.12.2021ರಂದು ಹೊರಡಿಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಹರಾಜು ಪ್ರಕ್ರಿಯೆಯನ್ನು ದಿನಾಂಕ:27.01.2022 ರಿಂದ 19.02.2022 ರವರೆಗೆ ಬಾಗಲಕೋಟೆ ಪಟ್ಟಣ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪ್ರಾಧಿಕಾರದ ಆವರಣದಲ್ಲಿಯ ನೂತನ ಸಭಾ ಭವನದಲ್ಲಿ ಜರುಗಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು ಅಂತಾ ದಿನಾಂಕ:19.12.2021 ರಂದು ಪತ್ರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಹೊರಡಿಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಸದರಿ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ದಿನಾಂಕ:01.01.2022 ರವರೆಗೆ ಸದರಿ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ಆಕ್ಷೇಪಣೆಗಳನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕರಿಗೆ ಅವಕಾಶ ನೀಡಲಾಗಿತ್ತು. ಸದರಿ ಅವಧಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಬಂದ ಆಕ್ಷೇಪಣೆಗಳು ಹಾಗೂ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು ವಿಭಾಗ ನಂ.01,02 ಬಾ.ಪ.ಅ.ಪ್ರಾ ಬಾಗಲಕೋಟೆ ಇವರು ಹರಾಜಿಗೆ ಇಡಲಾಗಿರುವ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ್ದನ್ನು ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸಿ ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿ ಪತ್ರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಹೊರಡಿಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ವಿವರ ಈ ಕಳಗಿನಂತೆ ಇದೆ.

ಅ.ನಂ	ಪ್ರತಿಕಾ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಅ.ನಂ.	ಸೆಕ್ಟರ್ ನಂ.	ಮಾದರಿ	ನಿವೇಶನ ಸಂ.	ನಿವೇಶನ ಗಾತ್ರ ಮೀ.ಗಳಲ್ಲಿ	ನಿವೇಶನ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರ ಚ.ಮೀ ಗಳಲ್ಲಿ	ನಿವೇಶನ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರ ಚ.ಅ ಗಳಲ್ಲಿ	1 ಚದರ ಅಡಿ ದರ	ಹರಾಜಿಗೆ ನಿವೇಶನದ ಪ್ರಾರಂಭದ ಮೌಲ್ಯ	ತಿದ್ದುಪಡಿಯಾದ ವಿವರಣೆ
01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11
1	**115**	33	B	77	9X12	108	1162.512	1130	1313639	ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವು ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ಹಂಚಿಕೆಯಾದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
2	**137**	36	C	27	12X18	216	2325.0.24	1130	2627277	ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನವಿರದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
3	**146**	58	NP-S	110	9X12	108	1162.512	1480	1720518	ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವು ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ಹಂಚಿಕೆಯಾದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
4	**147**	58	NP-M	58	11.9X17.65	210.03	2260.76292	1480	3345929	ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನವಿರದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
5	**148**	58	NP-M	65	12X18	216	2325.024	1480	3441036	ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನವಿರದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
6	**149**	58	NP-M	74	12X18	216	2325.024	1480	3441036	ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನವಿರದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
7	**150**	58	NP-M	81	12X18	216	2325.024	1480	3441036	ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನವಿರದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
8	**151**	61	NP-M	58	17.9X11.8	211.22	2273.57208	1480	3364887	ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನವಿರದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
9	**152**	61	NP-M	65	17.7X11.1	196.47	2114.80308	1480	3129909	ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನವಿರದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
10	**153**	61	NP-M	74	17.9X12	214.8	2312.1072	1480	3421919	ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನವಿರದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
11	**154**	61	NP-M	81	17.8X12	213.6	2299.1904	1480	3402802	ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನವಿರದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
12	**170**	63A	NP-L	18	24X (13+ 15/2=14)	336	3616.704	1480	5352722	ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನವಿರದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
13	**171**	63A	NP-L	19	24X (15+ 17/2=16)	384	4133.376	1480	6117396	ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನವಿರದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
14	**185** (ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ)	31	A1	229	4.5X3.5	15.75	169.533	2540	430614	ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವು ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ಹಂಚಿಕೆಯಾದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
15	**198**	AUTO	AUTO-Odd	5	(9.00+13.50/2) =11.25 X 27.00+28= 27.50	309.38	3330.16632	910	3030451	ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನವಿರದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
16	**199**	AUTO	AUTO-Odd	14	8X12	96	1033.344	910	940343	ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನವಿರದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.
17	**200**	AUTO	AUTO-Odd	15	8X12	96	1033.344	910	940343	ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನಗಳ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ವರದಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನ ಮೂಲೆ ನಿವೇಶನವಿರದ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತ ಸದರಿ ನಿವೇಶನವನ್ನು ಕೈಬಿಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಸಹಿ/– (ಶ್ರೀ ಮನ್ಮಥಯ್ಯ ಎಂ. ಸ್ವಾಮಿ)
ಮುಖ್ಯ ಇಂಜನೀಯರರು, ಬಾ.ಪ.ಅ.ಪ್ರಾ ಬಾಗಲಕೋಟೆ

ಸಹಿ/– (ಡಾ॥ ವ್ಹಿ.ಸಿ ಚರಂತಿಮಠ)
ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು,
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ವಾ.ಸಾ.ಇ/ಬಾ/464/2021–22/ದೇಶಪಾಂಡೆಪಬ್ಲಿಸಿಟಿ

PUBLIC NOTICE

FOR PURCHASE OF PROPERTY

NOTICE is hereby given that **Mrs. Konala Durga Bhavani & Mr. Rami Reddy Gangadhar Reddy** have entered into an agreement of sale for the schedule property in favour of my Client **Mr. Pavan Gopal & Mrs. Vedhavathi S,** free from all encumbrances. Any person having any right, title, interest, claim or demand of any nature whatsoever in respect of the said property, is hereby required to make the same known in writing along with the documentary proof thereof, to the below mentioned their Counsel Mr.RADESH.K, Office at No.7, HM Pearl Complex, Thubarahalli Bangalore. within **07 days** from the date of publication hereof, failing which our clients will be proceeding further to complete the sale transaction, without any reference to such claims and the claims if any, shall be deemed to have been given up or waived.

Schedule:

All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing Site No: 23/A, House No: 2630, Municipal No: 66, PID No: 58-66-66, measuring 1000 Sq.Feet along with RCC Roofed House Consisting Ground, First & Second Floor, Situated at 9th Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

FOR LOST OF DOCUMENT

The public are hereby notified that my client Mrs. Sravani P W/o BoyaGangadri Residing at No C1 High Point Apts, 2nd stage H B R Layout, Shampur RT Nagar Post Bangalore 32 is the Absolute owner of the property bearing property survey No.400 Plot No. 37 A situated at HINDUPUR TOWN, North by plot no 26, South by 15 ft road, East by plot no 38, West by plot no 36. Link Document bearing number 1198/1989 dated 04/05/1989 i.e registered sale deed dt 04/05/1989 vide Document No. 1198/1989 which is in favour of Sarojinidevi, W/o G.Thimmaiah Santhebidunuru (V), Hindupuram (M) relating to schedule mentioned property have lost/misplaced the link document and in this regard she has lodged a police complaint on 10/01/2022 before the crime branch, Bangalore City Police. Any person who found/having custody of the same may kindly return/hand over or having any right, title, interest or change over the schedule property may lodged their objections, with the undersigned along with supporting documentary evidence by registered post within 10 days from the date of this publication and objections or claims recovered thereafter will not binding on my client.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

Property bearing property Survey No.400 Plot No. 37 A situated at HINDUPUR TOWN, measuring 30x45 feet, total measuring 1350 sq.ft. bounded on: North by : Plot No.26, South by : 15 ft Road, East by : Plot No 38, West by : Plot no 36.

B.A. RAVINDRA SINGH, Advocate
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Government of Karnataka.
(Public Works Department)

OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER PWD DIVISION BIDAR

NO: EE/PWD//DIVN/BDR/KKRDB/JE-2/ 2021-22/4099 Date: 06.01.2022

INVITATION FOR TENDERS

On behalf of Governor of Karnataka, The Executive Engineer, PWD Division Bidar invites Tenders from eligible Tenderers for the WORK_INDENT NO. KPWD/2021-22/RD/ BD/OW /WORK_INDENT (General works 17) 145748, 145745, 145747, 145751, 143687, 143505, 146151, 143506, 146153, 143782, 143438, 144338, 144216, 144331, 143266, 143221 and 143073. (SC Reserve works 04) 144695, 145750, 144889, and 146152. (ST Reserve works 02) 145923, and 136199/CALL-2. Amount put to tender for the works are Minimum Rs. 9.44 Lakhs. & Maximum Rs. 442.37 Lakhs. Tender documents may be downloaded from the e-procurement portal of the Govt. of Karnataka Viz. http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in on 06.01.2022. Tenders must be submitted through e-procurement portal on or before 16.00 hours on 24.01.2022 Further any other information can be seen from the e-procurement portal or can be had from the undersigned.

Note: - Turnover certificate Without UDI Number will not be considered.

SD/- Executive Engineer, PWD Division Bidar

DIPR/Bidar/251/MC&A/2021-22

Aspire Home Finance Corporation Limited

ASPIRE HOME FINANCE

Registered Office : Motilal Oswal Tower, Rahimtullah Sayani Road, Opp. ST Depot, Prabhadevi, Mumbai-400025. **Email :-** info@ahfcl.com **CIN :** U65923MH2013PLC248741

DEMAND NOTICE

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT. 2002

Under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and enforcement of Security Interest Act. 2002 (the said Act) read with Rule 3(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules. 2002 (the said Rule) In exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) of the said Act read with Rule 3 of said Rule, the authorized officer has issued Demand notices under Section 13(2) of the said Act, calling upon the Borrower(s) / Co-borrowers, Guarantor/s to repay the loan amount mentioned in the respective demand notices issued to them. In connection with above notice is hereby given once again to all the parties to pay within 60 days from the publication of this notice, the amounts indicated herein below, together with further interest from the date(s) of Demand Notice till the date of payment. The detail of the Borrower(s) amount dues on date of Demand Notice and Security offered towards repayment of loan amount are as under:-

Loan Agreement No./Name of the Borrower(s)/Co-Borrower(s)/ Co-Applicant Name / Guarantor Name	Demand Notice Date and Amount	Description of secured asset(s) (immovable property/ies)
LXBAN00217-180051382/ C B Hari Prashanth/ Anitha C B	**14-Sep-21 / Rs. 816130/-** (Rupees Eight Lac Sixteen Thousand One Hundred Thirty Only)	Site No - 72, Survey No - 14, Kempe Gowda Enclave, At Syamarajapura Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North, Karnataka - 560064

If the said Borrowers shall fail to make payment to AHFCL as aforesaid AHFCL shall proceed against the above secured assets Under Section 13(4) of the Act and the applicable Rules, entirely at the risk of the said Borrowers as to the cost and consequences. The said Borrowers are prohibited under the Act from transferring the aforesaid assets, whether by way of sale, lease or otherwise without the prior written consent of AHFCL. Any person who contravenes or abates contravention of the provision of the said Act or Rules made there under, shall be liable for imprisonment and / or penalty as provided under the Act.

Date: 11.01.2022
Place: Karnataka

Sd/-
Authorized Officer
For Aspire Home Finance Corporation Ltd.

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Latham, Boult star as NZ dominate 2nd Test vs B'desh

Tom Latham scored 252, Devon Conway banked another century and Ross Taylor likely played his last Test innings as New Zealand declared at 521-6 on Monday before bowling out Bangladesh for 126 on the second day of the second Test. **Brief scores:** New Zealand 521/6decl in 128.5 ovs (Latham 252, Conway 109, Blundell 57 n.o, Islam 2/79) vs Bangladesh 126 in 41.2 ovs (Ali 55, Boult 5/43).

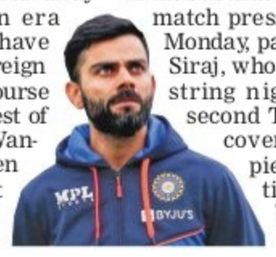
LEGACY ON THE LINE

India will be keen to complete the journey they started in 2018 and finish with a historic series win at Cape Town

SWAROOP SWAMINATHAN
@ Chennai

LOST amid all the noise during Virat Kohli's pre-departure press conference ahead of the tour of South Africa last month was his assertion that they were capable of doing 'something special' in the Rainbow Nation. Something special like winning a first Test series in 30 years of travelling. "We are well placed in terms of experience, belief and confidence that this time around we can do something special and get the results that we want as a team," he had said. "South Africa is one place where we have not won a series yet. So we are motivated to do that. And the mindset is always to go there and win a series in any country that we play."

It's in that prism that the third Test, beginning at Cape Town on Tuesday, will be played in. In Isolation, it's a decider. When you consider the bigger picture, this team's overseas legacy is on the line. It's not a hyperbole to say that. Since leaving South Africa three years ago, they have won everywhere barring New Zealand. They have beaten West Indies in West Indies, gotten the better of Australia twice and lead England in England. The seeds for such a dominating run away from home — in an era where most teams have struggled to win in foreign conditions — was of course sowed in the third Test of the 2018 series at the Wanderers. It may have been a 'dead rubber' but Kohli & Co. used that win as a platform to create an uncompromising winning machine.



Now, that machine faces perhaps it's biggest test at a venue where India have not won in five attempts. In fact, the hosts have a good record at Cape Town, where they have lost only twice (England and Australia) in the last 19 attempts.

In terms of team news, the visitors have received a big boost as well as a setback. While Kohli will lead the side, he confirmed as much during the pre-match press conference on Monday, pacer Mohammed Siraj, who suffered a hamstring niggle during the second Test, has not recovered. Those two pieces of information, then, is the best place to start. To replace Siraj, they will either bring in Ishant Sharma or Umesh Yadav. Both offer contrasting advantages but Kohli claimed the management were yet to decide about who would get the nod.

"We are yet to sit down," he said. "Myself, head coach (Rahul Dravid) and vice-captain (KL Rahul) yet to decide... I say that because of the bench strength. It's difficult for us to figure out who will play because everyone is at the top of their game... these things become a point of discussion. You have to obviously have a health discussion around that and agree. But I would rather be in this position."

Focus on middle-order, again

The bigger discussion, though, will likely focus on the side's middle-order composition. With Kohli coming in, it's likely one batter will have to sit out. Considering it's a given that the visitors will not change their five bowlers template come what may, one of Hanuma Vihari, Ajinkya Rahane or Cheteshwar Pujara could be forced to run the drinks. With Rishabh Pant also battling an extended period of indifferent form (averages under 20 since the final of the World Test Championship), that's four batting slots with not too many runs in recent times (the trio of Kohli, Rahane and Pujara together contribute below 90 since that WTC final.

If one were to read between the lines, the visitors may well go with the tried and tested combination of Kohli sandwiched between Pujara and Rahane.

Djokovic wins case to stay in Oz

AGENCIES @ Melbourne

ONE of the most surreal weeks in the history of professional men's tennis reached a stunning conclusion on Monday afternoon. Days after Novak Djokovic had his visa cancelled by Australia, Anthony Kelly, a federal circuit court judge, ruled in favour of the Serbian World No 1, who had been put up in a detention hotel usually reserved for refugees. Judge Kelly noted that he had not been given enough time to speak to his lawyers before his visa was cancelled. He ordered the government to release him within 30 minutes from the hotel.

However, Djokovic, who hit the court to practice late on Monday night, could still be deported. Government lawyer Christopher Tran told the judge that the immigration minister (Alex Hawke) 'will consider whether to exercise a personal power of cancellation.' That would mean that Djokovic could again face deportation and miss the event that begins on Jan 17.

The saga began when Djokovic put up an Instagram post, announcing that he had been given a medical exemption to play at the tournament. His visa was revoked as officials said he didn't meet the criteria for an exemption to a rule that all non-citizens be fully vaccinated.

At the hearing, his lawyers argued their client did not need proof of vaccination because he had evidence of being infected with the coronavirus last month. Australian medical authorities have ruled that people who were infected with Covid-19 within six months can receive a temporary exemption to the rule. Judge Kelly noted that Djokovic had provided officials at Melbourne's airport with a medical exemption given him by Tennis Australia and two medical panels.

IPL GC meet to approve new teams

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Chennai

THE Indian Premier League's Governing Council will meet virtually on Tuesday to hand out the letter of intent (LOI) to two new franchises Lucknow and Ahmedabad. The two franchises owned by Sanjeev Goenka's RPSG Group and CVC Capital respectively have been told informally about their induction into the league with only paperworks waiting to be completed.

CVC's ownership of the Ahmedabad franchise has been under the review for some time thanks to its close association with a betting firm in the United Kingdom. The BCCI had set up an independent panel to review its deal and only agreed to include them on board after the legal formalities were cleared.

It is understood that once the two franchises receive the LOI, the IPL GC will formally announce a window for them to sign three players before the players auction. It is learnt that the two teams will get time till this month end to finalise the players as the BCCI is keen on hosting the players' auction on February 12 and 13. While the BCCI was planning to hosting the auction in Bengaluru, it may be forced to to take it overseas, and a decision on this will be out by Tuesday.

IPL 2022 in India

Even though the third wave has stopped India's domestic season, the BCCI is in no mood to host the next edition of the IPL in the United Arab Emirates. It is understood that at the worst case scenario, the Indian cricket board will host the tournament in Mumbai and Pune with Ahmedabad an option for the knockouts.

EXPRESS READ

Covid forces SAI to shut down 67 training centres

CHENNAI: THE Sports Authority of India (SAI) on Monday said it has decided to close its 67 training centres across the country due to rising Covid-19 cases but national camps for elite athletes will continue in bio-bubbles. The decision will not impact the National Centres of Excellence (NCOEs) like the ones in Patiala and Bengaluru where camps for elite athletes are in progress across multiple disciplines.

Yuki hopeful of turn in fortunes

CHENNAI: Yuki Bhambri has had a horrendous three years or so with injuries. Now, he's hopeful of a good return, starting with the the Australian Open Qualifiers. He will take on Portugal's Joao Domingues in the event on Tuesday.

FULL STORY BY SWAROOP SWAMINATHAN, LOG ON TO NEWINDIANEXPRESS.COM

Bengaluru post win against Mumbai in ISL

FATORDA: Bengaluru FC piled more misery on Mumbai City FC with a 3-0 victory in the Indian Super League at the PJN Stadium here. Mumbai, the defending champions, missed the chance to regain the top spot. Danish Farooq (8') gave the Blues an early lead which was extended to three by Prince Ibara (23', 45'), who scored a first-half brace.

U-19 WC: Afg warm-up games cancelled

ST KITTS & NEVIS: The Afghanistan cricket team's participation in the ICC U-19 World Cup in the West Indies is in a jeopardy as the players from the nation are yet to procure visas for the event. With the team yet to reach the Caribbean shores, the ICC had to cancel the team's two scheduled warm-up games.

SEEKING NET RETURNS

The India Open 2022, being held in New Delhi, is set to kick off on Tuesday. Talking points...

SINDHU ALL THE WAY?

Sindhu, given her tall standards, will be itching to start the new season with a bang. With some of the big guns missing, she will be expected to dominate. Busanan Ongbamrungphan is her closest rival in terms of ranking but Sindhu has a dominant head-to-head record over the Thai shuttler.

SRIKANTH VS LOH VS LAKSHYA

All the three are entering the event on the back of strong performances during last year's World Championships. Srikanth was locked in an epic battle with Lakshya in the semifinals before losing to Loh Kean Yew in the final.

Matches will start from 10AM

Cooch Behar Trophy put on hold due to Covid-19

VENKATA KRISHNA B @ Chennai

THE third wave of the pandemic continues to disrupt domestic cricket. The Under-19 Cooch Behar Trophy, the lone tournament that looked set to go ahead, was postponed indefinitely on Monday after it emerged that there was at least one Covid positive case in each of the eight teams in the quarterfinals.

With all other domestic tournaments already suspended till further notice, there are growing concerns amongst the stakeholders that not all events will resume. The BCCI officials had a meeting on Monday and according to sources, the board has been told not to rush ahead with any decision because of the third wave which is expected to peak in the coming weeks. "It is hard to commit to anything at the moment," a top board official said. "We are monitoring the situation on a weekly basis and once the Covid breached the bubble in Pune (Cooch Behar) it was going to be impossible to continue with the event," the official said.

Moreover, to host the remaining matches across all tournaments, the BCCI also needs to use the resources of the frontline workers, which the board feels isn't right given the surge in cases in the big cities.

With the BCCI already making it a curtailed edition with each team playing only five league matches in the group stages, it technically needs around 35 days. With the IPL set to resume in April first week and players joining the bubble by March 25, the BCCI is looking to start the Ranji Trophy by February-end.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

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Vishwanathapura Branch
Bangalore Rural
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Possession Notice

[Section 13(4)] (For Immovable property)

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the CANARA BANK under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets And Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 9 of the security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **03.09.2021** calling upon the borrower **Sri P Venkatesh,** Proprietor of **M/s Thanu Enterprises,** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice **Rs 35,11,750/-** (Rupees Thirty Five Lakh Eleven Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty Only) + applicable interest till date within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act, read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rule on this **05 day of January of the year 2022.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property will be subject to charge of the CANARA BANK for an amount of Rs 35,11,750 /- and interest thereon.

Description of the Immovable Property

All that part and parcel of the property consisting of K No 3395/315/8-315/9, with in the registration sub-district Chikkaballapur and district Chikkaballapura. Property description – No. 315/8, Khushi Nilaya Ward No 4/3B, Behind KSRTC Depot,Prashanthnagar, Musturu, Chikkaballapura-562 101, Bounded by : On the North by: Site Nos 315/3 & 315/4, On the South by: Road, On the East by : Site No 315/10, On the West by : Site No 315/7.

Place : Vishwanathapura
Date : 05.01.2022

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public is hereby informed that my Client is Intending to Purchase the below mentioned Schedule of Property from its Owner viz. **Smt. S. JAHNAVI, Alias SAGIRAJU JAHNAVI LAKSHMI**, aged about 44 years, W/o. Sri. Sagiraju. Naga Raju. Having its Residing at. No.25/2/433. Upstairs Aruna Electricals, Vedayapalem, Simhapuri Centre Nellore, District Andhra Pradesh.-524001.

If anybody is having any objection, claim, interest, dispute for the above intended sale transaction, he/she/they may contact the undersigned with the Title, claims or interests, any minor claims or maintenance claims any Co-operative Society Section 64 Inquiry or damages attachment of Civil. Criminal court surety, lispendens, or revenue bank surety ship, liabilities over the Schedule property may file their detailed objections with supporting documents proof substantiating his/her/their objections/claims/details of dispute/s within **Seven(7) days** from the date of this publication, failing which, my client will proceed to complete the sale transaction with the above owner as if there are no third party claims/ objections/disputes in respect of the Schedule Property and thereafter no claims/ objections/ disputes will be entertained.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Immovable residential Vacant **Site No. 6** in a layout formed by **The CIL., Employees House Building Co-Operative Society Ltd.**, Bengaluru having **its office at CQAL**,Jayachamaragendra Nagar, Bengalur-06 as per the plan approved by the BDA., of Lands in Several Sy.No's of Kothihosahalli Village, YelahankaHobli, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru. Layout Called Named as **"CIL Layout II Phase"**, Bengaluru, Sahakar NagarPresent **BBMP,Khatha No.1/1/6**.Mesaring East to West 60 Feet and North to South 40 Feet totally Measuring 2400 Sq.Ft. Or 266.67. Sq. Yeards and bounded on:-**EAST BY** :- R.M.S.Layout, Property, **WEST BY**:- ROAD, **NORTH BY:-** R.M.S Layout, Property **SOUTH BY: -** SITE NO. 7

Sd/- **M/s. B.S. SHRIKANTHA, ADVOCATE**
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Whereas: The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the **Canara Bank** under Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (Act 54 of 2002) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated **24.09.2021** calling upon the borrower **Sri. K. Rajendra,** S/o M. Krishnappa to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice, being **Rs.6,49,989.23** (Rupees. Six Lakhs Forty Nine Thousand Nine Hundred And Eighty Nine and Paise Twenty Three only) as on **31.08.2021** within 60 days from the date of the said notice.

The Borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general, that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section13 (4) of the said 'Act read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said Rule on this **10th day of January 2022.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the. property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Canara Bank** for an amount of **Rs.6,49,989.23** (Rupees Six Lakhs Forty Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty Nine and Paise Twenty Three only) as on **31.08.2021** and interest thereon. and any other charges.

The Borrower's Attention is invited to the Provisions of Section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the Secured Assets.

Description of the Immovable Property

Property Particulars: All that Residential Land and Building on Site Bearing No:18, Old Janjar No 2527 and new no 2343 formed in the Converted lands in Sy. No's 263 and 264/1, Situated at Attibele Village and Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Measuring East to West 40 Feet and North to South: 30 Feet and Bounded as below: East: 20 Feet Road, West: Site No 25, North: Site No.19, South: Site No 17. **The above Property is standing in the name of Sri K Rajendra**

Date : 10.01.2022
Place : Bangalore

Sd/-Authorized Officer
Canara Bank.

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-I
No.4, LIC Jeevan Mangal Building, Residency Road, At Bangalore
NDN.982/2017 (MA), ODN.923/2017.

BETWEEN : UNITED BANK LTD. ...APPLICANT

AND: Hanover International Trading LLC & Others ..RESPONDENTS

Summons Issued under Rule 23 (viii) of the Debts Recovery Tribunal (procedure) Rules 1993 To The Defendant/ Respondents

To; Ashraf Lankulath Vazhayil, Red shore International Pvt.Ltd, Red Shore Plaza, No.63, 2nd Main, Chirangeevi Layout, Kempapura Hebbal,Bangalore - 560024.

WhereAs, the Applicant bank has Instituted an Application Under the Recovery Of Debts Due To Banks And Financial Institutions Act,1993 Against You for recovery of a sum of **Rs.3,69,42,511.05/-(Rupees Three Crore Sixty Nine Lakhs Forty Two Thousand Five Hundred and Eleven and Five Paisa Only)** along with current and future interest, costs and others reliefs.

You Are Hereby Required To Show cause Within 30 Days From The Date Of Publication Of This Summons Or On **21.01.2022 At 10.30 A.M.** before this Tribunal, in person or by a Pleader / Advocate Duly Instructed As To Why The Reliefs Prayed For Should Not Be Granted.

Take notice that in case of Default the Application will be heard and determined in your absence

Given Under My Hand And The Seal Of This Tribunal On The **15th Day Of December, 2021.**

By Order Of The Tribunal, Assistant Registrar Debts Recovery Tribunal-I At Bangalore

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

PALGHAT DIVISION

Sr. Divisional Engineer / Co-ordination / Southern Railway / Palakkad Invites E-TENDERS for the following work

E-TENDER NOTICE NO. PGT/OT/01/2022 Dt: 08-01-2022

Sl.No.: 1

Name of work: Proposed manual deep screening for a total length of 6.500 km and points and crossings 1 in 12 - 5 sets, 1in 8.5 - 1 set and proposed destressing of LWR for a total length of 68.395 km. at Assistant Divisional Engineer / Plakkad (33.469km) and Assitant Divisional Engineer / Shoranur (34.926 km) sub divisions.

Apprixmate Cash Value (in Lakhs): 117.74.

Earnest Money Deposit (Rupees): 2,08,900/-

Tender closing date 15.00 hrs on: 31-01-2022.

Completion Period in Months: Six

Sl.No. 2

Name of Work: Proposed collection and training out of 50 mm machine crushed hard stone ballast at Madhukkarai depot.

Approximate Cash Value: 153.48

Earnest Money Deposit (Rupees): 2,26,800/-.

Tender closing date 15.00 hrs on: 31-01-2022.

Completion Period In Months: Nine

Sl. No.: 3

Name of Work: Palakkad - Provision of Additional car shed in divisional office compound.

Approximate Cash Value (in Lakhs): 26.32

Earnest Money Deposit (Rupees): 52,700/-

Tender closing date 15.00 hrs: 31-01-2022

Completeion Period in Months: Four

Eligibility criteria for single similar work previously executed:

Item No. 1 Any Track Work

Item No. 2 Collection and supply of stone ballast / Road metal.

Note:

1. All the contract on Works / Goods / Services will be subject to the new GST Act as applicable from time to time.

2. Contractors / Suppliers have to register themselves with GST authorities and to furnish the GST registration number in order to process the bills from 01-07-2017 onwards.

For complete details of the above tenders please visit Web Site: **http://www.ireps.gov.in.**

Sr. Divisional Engineer / Co-ordination Southern Railway/ Palakkad

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NOTICE INVITING TENDERS

E- Tenders are invited for the supply of Polythene film, Rainguard Adhesive, Fertilizers (MOP, MRP, and Urea) Ammonia, Lime Powder, Empty barrels and Hydraulic Baling Press to our Estates and Factory complex for the year 2022-23. For date of opening, closing and other details, visit **www.rplkerala.com www.etenders.kerala.gov.in**

S/d, Managing Director
RPL/S/78/2022-23 dtd.10.01.2022

IN THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-1 AT BANGALORE

O.A. No.262/2020

BETWEEN :

Punjab National Bank, Vijayanagar Branch, Bengaluru APPLICANT

AND

M/S.VISHAL DIGITAL STUDIO AND ANOTHER DEFENDANT

SUMMONS ISSUED U/R 23 (VIII) OF DRT (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

1. Whereas the applicant has instituted an application under section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against you for the recovery of sum of **Rs.24,98,007.84** together with current and future interest and for the reliefs. You are hereby summoned to appear and file written statement before this Tribunal at 10.30 a.m. or at such time immediately thereafter according to the convenience of Tribunal on **29.02.2022** to answer the claim.
2. You are directed to collect the annexure on your appearance before the Tribunal.
3. If you intend to file any documents, you may file the same with a list along with the written statement.
4. You should file your registered address and a memo of appearance when you enter appearance before the Tribunal either in person or by a Pleader/Advocate duly instructed.
5. Take Notice that in default of your appearance on the day mentioned herein before the proceeding will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal on this the **3rd day of Dec 2021.**

By order of the Tribunal
Sd/-
Registrar
Debts Recovery Tribunal
Bengaluru

To,
1. M/S.VISHAL DIGITAL STUDIO
No.7/5, Magadi Main Road,
Kalburgi Building,
Bengaluru-560023
Represented by its Proprietrix,
Mrs.RUKMINI S.R
2. Mrs.RUKMINI S.R
W/O.Chinna Reddy,
Aged about 43 years,
No.7/5, Magadi Main Road,
Kalburgi Building,
Bengaluru-560023
R/at No.4, 19th Cross,
Vidyamanyanagar,
Andrahally, Vishwaneedam Post,
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Branch Office: Municipal No.45, (Old Nos.45& 45/1), Second Floor, Lalbagh Road, Bangalore-560027.

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Section 13[4] of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **M/s Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited,** having its registered office at 1st Floor, 'Dare House', No.2, N.S.C. Bose Road, Chennai-600001 and Municipal No.45, (Old Nos.45 & 45/1), Second Floor, Lalbagh Road, Bangalore-560027 under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13[12] read with Rules 9 of the Security Interest [Enforcement] Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated 31/07/2020 to **1) Kusumavathi R,** No.17, 4th Cross, 1st Main, Byraveshwara Nagar, V.N. Post, Kadamba Circle, Bangalore-560091. **2) Sathish M,** No.17, 4th Cross, 1st Main, Byraveshwara Nagar, V.N. Post, Kadamba Circle, Bangalore-560091. **3. M/s. J.B. Brilliance,** No.104, Katha No.554, ITI Layout, Malathahalli, Bangalore-560072 hereinafter referred to as borrower and Co-Borrowers in **Loan A/c No. X0HEBAN00002108104,** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.51,89,746.27 [Rupees Fifty One Lac Eighty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Forty Six Rupees and Twenty Seven Paise Only]** as on 28/02/2020 with interest thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers in particular and the public in general that the undersigned as per The Order Dated 01-04-2021 passed by the honourable 39th Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Bangalore in Crl.Misc.992/2021 has **taken Possession** of the property described herein below in exercise of the powers conferred on him under Section 13[4], 13[12] of the said Act read with Rule 8 And 9 of the said Rules Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the **7th Jan 2022.**

Under section 13 [8] of the Securitisation Act, the borrowers can redeem the secured asset by payment of the entire outstanding including all costs, charges and expenses before notification of sale.

The borrowers in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the said property will be subject to the charge of **M/s Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited,** for an amount of being **Rs.51,89,746.27/- [Rupees Fifty One Lac Eighty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Forty Six Rupees and Twenty Seven Paise Only]** as on 28/02/2020 and interest and charges thereon.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY: All That Piece And Parcel Of property bearing Site No.17, Khata No.648, Assessment No.11/3, situated at Sunkadakatte Village Srigandadakavalu Dhakale, Yeshwathpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, presently comes within the limits of BBMP and **Bounded on: East by:** Road, **West by:** Other Property, **North by:** Site No.16 **and South by:** Site No.18.

Date: 07-01-2022
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Cholamandalam Investment And Finance Company Limited.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The general public is hereby informed that my clients, **MR. M.N. NARENDRA RAJU,** S/o. Late. M.R.Narasa Raju, aged about 36 years and **MR.M.N. ASHOK RAJU,** S/o Late.M.R.Narasa Raju aged about 34 years Both residing at No.49, 5th Main, 5th Cross, CPV Block, Ganganagar Extension, R.T.Nagar Post, Bangalore-560032, have purchased the Schedule Property. Due to inadvertence, our client have found out that two sale deed pertaining to the Schedule Property i.e. Sale Deed dated 06.10.2004 registered as document no.YAN-1-13940-2004-05 stored in CD No.YAND86 at the office of the Sub-Registrar, Yelahanka, Bengaluru & Sale Deed dated 12.05.2009 registered as document no.JAL-1-00155-2009-10 stored in CD No.JALD38 at the office of the Sub-Registrar, Jala, Bengaluru has been misplaced/lost.

Any person/s having/asserting any right, title, interest, claim or having found the two sale deeds mentioned above in any manner may contact the undersigned and may offer their version, in writing within three days from the publication of this notice with relevant documents.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing Survey No.99/2. Old Sy No.99, measuring to an extent of 37 Guntas, situated at Sathnur Village, Jala Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, and bounded as follows:

East by : Land belonging to Abib Khan & Ibrahim Khan;
West by : Land belonging to Kalappa (Sy No.99/1);
North by : Rajakaluve; &
South by : Land belonging to Aswathappa & Kallappa;

Sanjay Kumar A, Advocate
PSA Law Partners
PSA House, No.47/1A, First Floor, 8th Main,13th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560003 Ph No. 9886254185

PHYSICAL POSSESSION NOTICE

ICICI Bank

Branch Office: ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

Whereas

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of ICICI Bank Limited under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued demand notices upon the borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Physical Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	Name of Branch
1.	Prakash Rao C/ Lalithasarada C/ LBBNG00000854379	(As Described In The Loan Document/ Property Document Covering All That Piece and Parcel of The Property Bearing Site No.9, SY No.46, Yelahanka Cmc Katha No.901/A/156, Situated at: Shivanahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk Measuring East to West: 42.5 Feet, North to South: 30 Feet, in All Total 1275 Sq. Ft/ Date of Physical Possession- 06.01.2022	17.06.2021 Rs. 1,39,918.00/-	Banga-lore
2.	Vinod Patil/ Sheela A/ LBBNG00005195476	Schedule "A" Property All That The Piece and Parcel of The Land Bearing Survey No. 45. Measuring 1 Acre. out of 1 acre 25 Guntas Duly Converted From Agricultural to Non Agricultural Residential Purpose, Vide official Memorandum (O.M) Bearing Ret No. ALN (NAY) Sr. No. 01/2009-10, Dated 24.07.2009, Issued By The Deputy Commissioner Bangalore, Situated at Chikkabertahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli. Bangalore North Talukschedule "B" Property All That The Piece and Parcel of The Land Bearing Site No. 56, Katha No. 45/56. Measuring East To West 40 Ft, and North To South 30 Ft, Total 1200 Sq.ft, Formed out of Schedule A Property Situated at Chikkabettahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli. Under Bbmp Limits, Banglaore North Taluk, Bangalore/ Date of Physical Possession- 06.01.2022	16.06.2021 Rs. 34,94,080/-	Banga-lore

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date : January 11, 2022
Place: Bangalore (Hassan)

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

QuoteExpress **WITHOUT HARD WORK, NOTHING GROWS BUT WEEDS** › GORDON B HINCKLEY

QuoteExpress **IF YOU FELL DOWN YESTERDAY, STAND UP TODAY** › H G WELLS

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Global lightning activity dropped almost 8% during the 2020 Covid-19 lockdowns, according to researchers from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. The cause of the drop appears to be a connection between lightning and air pollution. Less pollution means fewer microscopic particles hazing the sky and serving as points of nucleation for water droplets and ice crystals, which means fewer collisions of crystals, one of the ways thunderheads are believed to generate electrical charges that lead to lightning

Covid wreaks havoc globally with Omicron

On the other side of the spectrum, Uganda makes positive headlines by reopening its schools after the longest lockdown in the world

Italy tightens curbs on Covid unvaccinated

Italy targeted the unvaccinated with a host of new coronavirus restrictions Monday, with proof of vaccination or recovery from a recent infection required to enter public transport, coffee shops, hotels, gyms and other everyday activities. The new 'super' health pass requirement, which eliminates the ability to show just a negative test to gain access to services, comes as many Italians return to work and school after the Christmas and New Year's holidays. It came as COVID-19 infections are soaring past 100,000 per day in Italy

Mexico reports its first three reports of flurona

Mexico has reported its first three cascades of flurona, a combined infection of Covid-19 and influenza, local authorities said. One of the cases was reported in a 28-year-old woman in Nayarit, while the other two were reported in Jalisco. According to Alejandra Natali Vega Magana, head of the emerging and reemerging diseases diagnostic laboratory at the University of Guadalajara, the two patients did not display serious symptoms and were treated on an outpatient basis

Protests erupt in France against vaccine pass

A new draft law in France that would remove the option of showing a negative Covid-19 test to gain access to public venues and instead require full vaccination has led to protests across the nation. Authorities say over 1,05,000 people have taken part in the protests, with 34 having been arrested and some 10 police officers injured. The draft passed its first reading in the lower house on Thursday, and the government hopes for the new rules to come into force by January 15

COVID

MANILA: The Philippines on Monday reported a record high number of new COVID-19 cases for the third day, logging 33,169 infections. The positivity rate also soared to 46 per cent, another record high since the pandemic started two years ago. Monday's tally brings the Philippines' total infection count nearer to the 3 million mark at 2,998,530. The death toll stood at 52,293 with 145 new deaths recorded.

Meanwhile, Singapore's Health Minister Ong Ye Kung said in Parliament on Monday that the nation can expect an infection wave due to Omicron 'several times larger' than the one caused by Delta. 'If Delta infections reached a sustained incidence of about 3,000 cases a day, Omicron could perhaps reach 10,000 to 15,000 cases a day, or more. So once cases start to rise steeply, within a couple of weeks, we may see 3,000 Omicron cases a day,' he said.

He also stated that fully vaccinated individuals accounted for 30 per cent of Singapore's total COVID-19 related deaths last year. Singapore last year registered 802 deaths due to the coronavirus, out of which 247 were fully vaccinated people. Most of the vaccinated individuals had received non-mRNA vaccines, according to crude incidence rates of deaths.

On a more positive note, Uganda's schools reopened to students on Monday, ending the world's longest school disruption due to the pandemic. The reopening caused traffic congestion in some areas of the capital, Kampala, and students were seen carrying their mattresses in the streets, a back-to-boarding school phenomenon not seen for nearly two years.

Uganda's schools have been fully or partially shut for more than 83 weeks, the world's longest disruption, according to the UN cultural agency. It affected more than 10 million learners. The country first shut down its schools in March 2020, shortly after the first Covid case was confirmed on the African continent. Some classes were reopened to students in February 2021, but a total lockdown was imposed again in June as Uganda faced its first major surge. For many parents, the reopening was long overdue.

The protracted school lockdown proved controversial in a country where measures aimed at stemming the virus spread were ignored by many. Vaccine scepticism, even among health workers, remains a problem, with growing reports of fake vaccination cards sold in downtown Kampala.

Hoping for a smooth return, authorities waived any COVID test requirements for students. An abridged curriculum also has been approved under an arrangement to automatically promote all students to the next class. Uganda has also received foreign support toward the reopening of schools.

Pupils wear face masks as they attend class at Kitante Primary School in Kampala, Uganda on Monday, their first day of school in almost two years | AP

MIND CONTROL

French startup Wisear is working on tech that detects the signals zipping between the brain and certain muscles to use them to operate connected devices

JAW MOVEMENT

Detected with special earphones through which one can pause and play music on their phones

AUGMENTED REALITY GLASSES

To come soon, through which one can control display without taking out their smartphone

COOLING MASKS

Entrepreneur Eric Fouchard got tired of feeling hot and stuffy under his Covid mask, so he came up with a tiny ventilation system that can be mounted under a face covering

MAGNET ASSEMBLY

Holds the fan in place and is powered by a small rechargeable battery held in a strap that passes over the back of a user's neck

'EVERYTHING' MASK

The white plastic shell of these masks, meant not just for Covid, covers the nose and mouth—and looks like something out of Star Wars

ACTIVE FILTERS

Capable of destroying fine particles and pathogens or pollutants, making the masks suitable against pollution, bacteria, and even Covid

COMPLETELY AIRTIGHT

As opposed to traditional masks, which are not 100% covered

SNOW E-BIKES

MoonBikes are the first electric snow bike, with a ski on the front, a track on the back, handlebars, a padded seat and a battery

MORE ACCESSIBLE

For people of all ages and demographics, unlike the heavy and bulky snowmobiles

EXFILE • RESEARCH

The future of consumer electronics is here

After a muted showing in 2020 and a weird all-digital one in 2021, the Consumer Electronics Show (CES) 2022 was originally planned as an in-person event, but had to shift gears at the last minute due to Omicron. Though a lot of big names like Amazon and Google pulled out and a majority of reveals were digital, the Las Vegas event was a resounding success. Let's look at some of the interesting gadgets showcased

SELF-DRIVING RACE CARS

Who will be behind the wheel of the race cars scheduled to hit the track at CES? No one, say the organisers of the Indy Autonomous Challenge racing competition

260 KM/H

Speeds that autonomous race cars reached upto on the Las Vegas Motor Speedway on January 7

NOT JUST FOR FUN

The competition tests autonomous tech at high speeds so that, one day, cars can operate themselves on highways

COLOUR-CHANGING CAR

The BMW iX Flow uses electronic ink tech normally found in e-readers to transform the exterior into a variety of patterns in gray and white

NO ENERGY NEEDED

to maintain the colour the driver selects, according to BMW

INFLUENCE SUNLIGHT REFLECTIONS

On a hot, sunny day, you could switch the colour white to reflect sunlight. On a cold day, you could make it black to absorb the heat

E INK TECH

When stimulated by electrical signals controlled by an app, the material brings different pigments to the surface, causing the car to take on a different shade or design

DANCING DOGS

The Boston Dynamics robot dogs are back, on display in the CES doing a choreographed routine to a BTS song at Hyundai's booth

VISION OF FUTURE

The performance included an animation of a vision for using the robots as the eyes and ears on Mars for people who could then experience the Red Planet in the metaverse

SELF-SAILING BOATS

Hyundai presented the first "self-driving" boat, equipped with cameras, depth sensors and artificial intelligence systems. Preparations are underway to adapt this tech to large merchant ships too

GREATLY REDUCED RISK

Of accidents, while also saving time in berthing and docking

10 KM

Test trip made in South Korea with 12 passengers

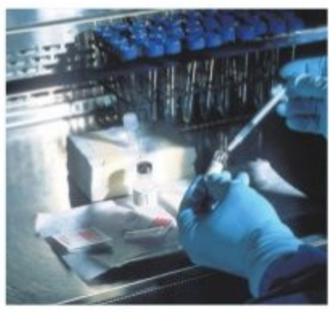
Common cold to protect against Covid

IMMUNITY

LONDON: People with higher levels of T cells from common cold coronaviruses are less likely to become infected with SARS-CoV-2, the strain that causes COVID-19, according to a new UK study led by Indian-origin researchers on Monday.

The study, published in the journal *Nature Communications* and led by Imperial College London researchers, claims to provide the first evidence of a protective role for T cells. While previous studies have shown that T cells induced by other coronaviruses can recognise SARS-CoV-2, the new study examines how the presence of these T cells at the time of exposure influences infection. The researchers believe their findings provide a blueprint for a second-generation, universal vaccine that could prevent infection from current and future SARS-CoV-2 variants, including Omicron.

"These T cells provide protection by attacking proteins within the virus, rather than the spike protein on its surface," said senior author Professor Ajit Lalvani, Director of the National Institute for Health Research (NIHR) Respiratory Infections Health Protection Research Unit at Imperial College London.



"The spike protein is under intense immune pressure from vaccine-induced antibody, which drives evolution of vaccine escape mutants. In contrast, the internal proteins targeted by the protective T cells we identified mutate much less. Consequently, they are highly conserved between the various SARS-CoV-2 variants, including Omicron," he explained. "New vaccines that include these conserved, internal proteins would therefore induce broadly protective T cell responses that should protect against current and future SARS-CoV-2 variants."

The study began in September 2020 and included 52 people who lived with someone with PCR-confirmed SARS-CoV-2 infection and who had therefore been exposed to the virus. The participants did PCR tests at the outset and four and seven days later, to determine if they developed an infection.

Blood samples were taken within one-six days of participants being exposed to the virus. This enabled the researchers to analyse the levels of pre-existing T cells induced by previous common cold infections that also cross-recognise proteins of the SARS-CoV-2 virus.

GLOBAL WARMING

Increased kidney stones due to climate change?

HEALTH

WASHINGTON: Rising temperatures due to global warming would lead to an increase in the number of people suffering from kidney stones, a painful medical condition exacerbated by heat and dehydration, a new study says.

Two climate scenarios were used to estimate the burden of the heat and humidity induced disease by the end of the century in South Carolina, a state in the US that has a higher than average incidence rate. The researchers at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia (Chop) the number of cases will increase between 2.2% and 3.9%, depending on whether greenhouse gas emissions continue at the current rate or are cut to an intermediate level, leading to a huge rise in health costs either way.

In the first scenario modelled, the average temperature would increase by 2.3C by 2100, compared with 3.6C in the second. Kidney stones are caused by hard deposits of minerals (mostly calcium) that develop in concentrated urine that are extremely painful when passing through the urinary tract. The incidence of the condition has escalated over the past two decades, particularly among people of colour, women and adolescents.

In the US, about one in 10 people suffers from kidney stones at some point, and the incidence increases from north to south. While diet and lifestyle changes have contributed to the rise in the disease, research has shown that a major cause is high ambient temperatures. The number of people seeking medical help for kidney stones shoots up after very hot days, when the risk of dehydration increases.

"With climate change, we don't often talk about the impact on human health, particularly when it comes to children, but a warming planet will have significant effects on human health," said Gregory Tasian, a pediatric urologist at Chop and senior author of the study published in *Scientific Reports*.

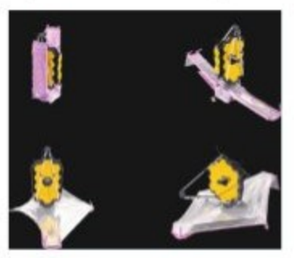
FACT OF THE MATTER

Iran's cheetahs very endangered

EXTINCTION

Iran is now home to only a dozen Asiatic cheetahs, the deputy environment minister said Sunday, describing the situation for the endangered species as "extremely critical". His ministry said the animals had been victims of drought, hunters and car accidents, especially in the country's central desert. The world's fastest land animal, capable of reaching speeds of 120 kilometres per hour, cheetahs once stalked habitats from the eastern reaches of India to the Atlantic coast of Senegal and beyond. They are still found in parts of southern Africa, but have practically disappeared from North Africa and Asia.

NASA's golden eye is now open



SPACE

NASA's new space telescope opened its huge, gold-plated, flower-shaped mirror Saturday, the final step in the observatory's dramatic unfurling. The last portion of the 21-foot (6.5-meter) mirror swung into place at flight controllers' command, completing the unfolding of the James Webb Space Telescope. More powerful than the Hubble Space Telescope, the $10 billion Webb will scan the cosmos for light streaming from the first stars and galaxies formed 13.7 billion years ago. Webb is so big that it had to be folded orgami-style to fit in the rocket that soared from South America two weeks ago.

PREHISTORIC FINDS

Fossilised remains of the largest 'sea dragon' in the UK discovered

FOSSILISED REMAINS

RUTLAND: The fossilised remains of a predator that roamed the seas around the same time as dinosaurs has been uncovered and is believed to be the largest example of the species found in the UK.

The 10-metre-long ichthyosaur fossil, dated back 180 millions years, was found at the Rutland Water Nature Reserve. Anglian Waters, which owns the area, said it was now seeking funding to protect and display the remains nearby.

The ichthyosaur, also known as sea dragons because they tend to have very large teeth and eyes, were similar in shape to dolphins and varied in size from 1-25 metres. They first appeared about 250m years ago and went extinct 90m years ago

Apart from being the biggest in the nation, it is also the most complete fossil; of its kind and is thought to be the first ichthyosaur of its species (Temnodontosaurus trigonodon) found in the UK. Two incomplete and much smaller ichthyosaurs were found during the construction of Rutland Water in the 1970s, but the latest discovery is the first complete one. The block containing the 2-metre skull, along with the surrounding clay, alone weighed a tonne.

It was discovered by Joe Davis, conservation team leader at Leicestershire and Rutland Wildlife Trust, during the routine draining of a lagoon island for re-landscaping in February 2021. Mr Davis said, "The find has been absolutely fascinating and a real career highlight. It's great to learn so much from the discovery and to think this amazing creature was once

swimming in seas above us. Now, once again, Rutland Water is a haven for wetland wildlife albeit on a smaller scale."

Palaeontologist Dr Dean Lomax, head of the excavation team who has studied thousands of ichthyosaurs, said, "Britain is the birthplace of ichthyosaurs - their fossils have been unearthed here for over 200 years. Despite the many ichthyosaur fossils found in Britain, it is remarkable to think the Rutland ichthyosaur is the largest skeleton ever found in the UK. It is a truly unprecedented discovery and one of the greatest finds in British palaeontological history." Palaeontologists will continue to research the discovery, with academic papers to be published in the future.

"Usually we think of ichthyosaurs and other marine reptiles being discovered along the Jurassic coast in Dorset or the Yorkshire coast, where many of them are exposed by the erosion of the cliffs. Here at an inland location is very unusual," Dr Lomax added.

Rutland is more than thirty miles from the coast, but 200 million years ago higher sea levels meant it was covered by a shallow ocean.

The fossil is currently being studied and conserved at an undisclosed location in Shropshire but it is expected to be returned to Rutland for permanent display.

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DAY'S DIARY

Smoking kills

In 1964, surgeon general of the US Dr Luther Terry, published a landmark report, stating that smoking may be hazardous to health

THE MAKERS

The report 'Smoking and Health: Report of the Advisory Committee to the Surgeon General of the Public Health Service' was prepared by a committee of 10 prominent scientists

DANGEROUS HABIT

The report suggested that smoking causes lung cancer, and increases the risk of death from emphysema and chronic bronchitis

THE START OF CHANGE

The report gave extraordinary momentum to the tobacco control movement and caused public opinion and behaviour to change considerably

Ashika Ranganath's 02 to resume shoot on Jan 22

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AFTER HOURS

In the lap of nature

If Dr Narasimhaiah Srinivasaiah is not donning his white coat, he is practising 'tropical forestry' at his eco-museum on the foothills of Nandi Hills

SANATH PRASAD

FOR a doctor who is treating one of the most dreaded diseases, cancer, finding time off from work is quite challenging. However, **Dr Narasimhaiah Srinivasaiah** is a person who wants to be close to 'Mother Earth'. An individual who likes to see, smell, and live amidst nature, he believes this to be the cure of all ailments. When is off medical work, Srinivasaiah is a horticulturist, florist and agriculturist. Thanks to his extensive travel around US and Europe during the early 2000s, it made him realise the untapped horticultural space in India. Thus gave birth to Nandi Nisarga Dhama (NaNidam), an eco-museum situated on the foothills of Nandi Hills, in Chikkaballapura.

Srinivasaiah calls this place, a region carved out of the 'Mother Earth' where one can visit and attain solace, peace, and stay connected to nature. Growing up in a farmer's family, Srinivasaiah was raised amidst hardship that come along in a farmer's life. However, his vision for farming was something beyond.

Started 20 years ago with the sapling of a wild mango, the five-acre land came into its full potential only in 2020. The eco-museum is nothing short of a mini forest that is home to a wide range of seeds, fruits, vegetables, herbs, pond, peacocks and even some monkeys. "This eco-musuem was curated to drive education to the people, especially kids about mother nature. From talking about the diverse set of seeds we cultivate to knowing the rivers that originate from Nandi Hills, this eco-musuem should ignite young minds about environmental concerns," says Srinivasaiah, who is also a laparoscopic and robotic surgeon. Srinivasaiah has also created five sizable water bodies named after the five rivers originating from the hills. "I have adapted the age-old traditional method of water conservation with the Rajakaluve model. I believe in preserving the nativity of agriculture rather than giving room for modernity," adds Srinivasaiah, who wants children to explore his farm and hone their agricultural skills early-on.

He also calls this eco-museum an amalgamation of tropical flowering forestry and wild forestry. "I have cultivated all this because it brings life to nature. When I am in the hospital, I wear a white coat, while I am on the farm I wear my shorts and become an absolute farmer. This is my sort of individual social responsibility where I am giving back," says Srinivasaiah, who adds the eco-museum has moulded him to be a better person. "Farming has an immense psychological and physiological impact. As a doctor, it has made me more diligent, patient and I realised that even small things made me very happy. My winding down from medical work comes when I am soaked completely in Mother Nature," says the 46-year-old.

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ON THE FARM

- Lime and lemon garden
- Devanahalli chakotha
- Rose garden
- Hibiscus garden
- Stone paved well
- Gooseberries
- Tamarind trees
- Wild Cashew trees
- Olives
- Wild Mangoes

FOR KIDS

- Hands-on experience in agriculture and flowering
- Learning the geographical and biological significance of Mother Nature
- Nature walk
- Pottery making

WHAT NEXT?

THE THIRD WAVE HAS AMPLIFIED AMBIGUITY FOR STUDENTS WHO ARE IN A STATE OF LIMBO WITH REGARD TO THEIR COURSE OF ACTION

SANATH PRASAD

VARSHA Raghavendra is a worried mother, who is anxious about how her son Samarth Anegundi will tread the academic path after Class 10. Thanks to the current weekend curfew that is imposed due to the third wave of Covid-19, Anegundi's entrance exam to a PU college now stands cancelled. "I am in a dilemma because, on one hand, I need to get back to my boarding school, and on the other, I also need to take my entrance exam for pre-university. Missing the entrance exam means I will have to waste a year, which I cannot afford," says 16-year-old Anegundi.

Not just missing a year, the ramifications of the third wave for students are aplenty. Bengaluru-based academic experts observe that the rising uncertainty due to Covid-19 and the subsequent curbs and curfews are putting the academics of several youngsters in quandary. Rakesh Godhwani, an adjunct faculty of IIM Bangalore and founder of School of Meaningful Experiences, believes that a series of academic problems has translated into mental health issues for students. "Students are confused and paranoid about their career choices because there is no sync between the industry, education institutions and the students during these tough times. It is important to introduce students to the industry right from an early stage so that they start working on real-time projects. It is time that students are now assessed and graded based on projects and discussions," says Godhwani, who feels that students' exposure to different working domains during the pandemic has drifted their interests into other spaces, away from what they are currently pursuing.

For Arhaan Khan, a Class 12 student, the third wave has just amplified the ambiguity in the air. "The uncertainty over the dates of the JEE entrance exam this year has thrown up a lot of ambiguity. The constant academic setbacks in the last two years are just demotivating and crushing our hopes," says Khan.

Dr Ali Khwaja, founder of Banjara Academy and an academic counsellor, believes that parents are now divided – one section is not willing to send their children to school, while the other is worried about the lack of learning due to fluctuating Covid-19 guidelines. "We are two years into the pandemic and we have not addressed the problems of students. It is time that teachers have an open discussion with students on how to go ahead, given the situation. I am genuinely concerned that if the pandemic continues like this, an entire generation can regress. Many of them have hardly seen the outside world," says Khwaja.

Going ahead in 2022, Madhan MR , country manager (India) for DEfactoEd, an education platform, believes that many college graduates this year will be staring at a bleak future due to the lack of hiring of freshers. The sudden shift in pedagogy to online education has resulted in several mental health issues too. "A sudden and far-reaching change in daily functioning has caused anxiety, depression in the student community. Based on the current situation, there is a need for a support programme which will involve psychological, organisational, instrumental and emotional support."

Students are confused about their career choices because there is no sync between the industry and education institutions during these tough times. It is important that students start collaborting with industries on projects early on

Rakesh Godhwani, educationist

The uncertainty over the dates of the Joint Entrace Exam (JEE) this year has thrown up a lot of ambiguity. The constant academic setbacks in the last two years are crushing our hopes

Arhaan Khan, student

I am in a dilemma because, on one hand, I need to get back to my boarding school, and on the other, I also need to take my entrance exam for pre-university. Missing the entrance exam means I will have to waste a year, which I cannot afford

Samarth Anegundi, student

STARTUP WATCH

Pratap Lakshmanan

BACKSTORY

ArtGaon is a Bengaluru-based startup launched by Pratap Lakshmanan in January 2022. It focuses on building art, home and D2C (direct to consumer) brands in India by connecting a community of artists, home designers, furniture manufactures under one roof.

FINANCE FUNDA

The startup is bootstrapped with an amount of ₹20 lakh.

USP : The startup works on a phygital (physical + digital) model and offers curated retail services for furniture makers and artists to display their designs and art works, respectively. It aims to bridge the gap between creators and consumer through community engagement and workshops.

TARGET AUDIENCE

The startup targets people who are enthusiastic about art and interior designs. It also provides a platform for designers and artists to display their work in their studio. So far, they have got four artists, one home designer and four furniture manufacturers on board.

City-based pizzeria, The Eating Love Art Project, prints artworks of artists on their pizza boxes

APPETITE FOR ART

EXPRESS FEATURES

HOW do you like to enjoy your slice of pizza? Well... Eating Love, a city-based pizzeria, serves it with a piece of art. Might sound like an unusual combo but surely this has been grabbing attention. As a new project to support artists, Eating Love has started The Eating Love Art Project, where artists are invited to send their art pieces which are printed on their boxes.

Niharika Peri, co-founder and chef, got the idea around mid 2021 when she started missed art exhibitions. "During the lockdown I missed seeing art. What excites the artist is an audience," says Peri, a communication professional. So, she along with curator of the project, Latheesh Lakshman decided to work towards something do with art and food.

The founders of the pizzeria, which specialises in all kinds of vegetarian, vegan and gluten-free pizzas, felt that there are many who order the Italian delicacy, however, the boxes most times find their way to trashcans. "We thought boxes would be a good place for artists to showcase their art," says Peri, adding that this has enhanced engagement with customers. A part of the sales will go to the artists who have struggled during the pandemic owing to little or no work. "Till now, we have showcased the work of three artists. We have printed on 2,000 boxes and have paid ₹15,000 to each artist," she says. The works of artists like Jyothi Venugopal, Rishidev R K, Kanika Agarwal are already on the boxes. Those interested can also purchase the original art works. "I have kept the original art work with me and they are up for sale on the website," says Peri.

Niharika Peri

Art works printed on pizza boxes

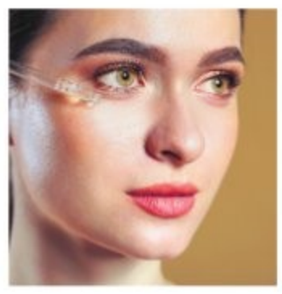
WHAT WHEN WHY WHERE

COMEDY FOR FOUR

Shankar Chugani is hosting a 30-min comedy show where only four people will get to hear his stories, jokes and experiences. The event is happening online.
When: Till Jan 16
Details: bookmyshow.com

IT'S RAINING ICE CREAM

Check out the different flavours of ice cream starting from classic vanilla to fresh mulberry. You can also experiment with other flavours like Tiramisu and Dulce De Leche.
Available at Smoke House Deli, Indiranagar



SKINCARE MASTERCLASS

Check out an advanced skin care course to understand the science of skincare. From sun damage to different types of nutrients the skin requires, the course includes variety.
When: Till Jan 31
Details: bookmyshow.com

MYSTERY ROOMS

Want to do something different this week? Check out Mystery Room in Indiranagar. It's an escape game filled with adventure and challenges to solve. Ideal for age groups from 10 and above.
When: Jan 11- 31
Details: bookmyshow.com

HANG OUT WITH YOUR BEST LADIES AND DANCE THE NIGHT AWAY AT PUBLIK, BELLANDUR | **WHEN:** JAN 12 | **DETAILS:** HIGHAPE.COM

FITNESS CAMP

Looking for a fun way to workout? Here's a two-hour fitness camp. Some of the regimes practiced at Versh Studio, Indiranagar, include HIIT and animal flow.
When: Jan 15- 29 **Details:** bookmyshow.com

RISE TO THE SUN

Explore the serene beauty of Karnataka with Namma Trip as they organise a trek to Skandagiri. You can catch the sunrise there and head home by lunch.
When: Jan 14 **Details:** townscript.com

Embroidery collection

Fashion brand Aab Label is launching Matsya, a collection of Phulkari motifs inspired by the first Avatar of Vishnu. The Mátsya collection offers a range of recycled handloom fabric, contemporary silhouettes and geometric designs of Phulkari. **Available:** Aab Label website

Lakeside Camping

Lakeside camping in Kanva backwaters in Ramanagara by Escape2Explore has all kinds of activities one would enjoy. From water activities to land ventures, breathe in a fresh wisp of air.
Details : insider.in

BOLLYWOOD DANCE

Hate going to the gym? Love all the drama of Bollywood? Then this workshop is for you. Break a leg with choreographer Dr Tanmayi **When:** Jan 16
Details: bookmyshow.com

QUICK FIX

What's cooking

IN YOUR KITCHEN?
We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at cityexpresschn@gmail.com.

MURMURA POHA

INGREDIENTS
- **Murmura:** 1 packet
- **Onion:** 1
- **Green chillies:** 2
- **Coriander leaves:** 1 bunch
- **Groundnuts:** 1/2 cup
- **Cumin seeds:** 1 tsp
- **Chaat masala:** 1 tsp
- **Turmeric powder:** 1 tsp
- **Oil:** 3 tsp
- **Curry leaves:** 3 stems

METHOD
- Dip the murmura in water and remove it immediately.
- Heat oil in a frying pan. Saute cumin seeds and groundnuts in it.
- Add finely chopped onion and green chillies and fry.
- Add salt and turmeric powder. Drop in the soaked murmura.
- Add chaat masala, coriander leaves and curry leaves. Mix well, serve hot.

—G Jyothi, Hyderabad

FIT BIT

PRAPADA PRASARITA PADA ADHO MUKHA SHVANASANA

(TIP TOE FEET SPREAD DOWNWARD FACING DOG POSE)

In Sanskrit, 'prapada' means the tips of toes, 'prasarita' means wide stance, 'pada' means foot, 'adho' means down, 'mukha' means face, 'shvana' means dog and 'asana' means pose. This is a standing, forward bend that increases the height of a growing body. It helps to tone the muscles of the abdomen, arms, shoulder, thighs and valves, and improves blood circulation between shoulder blades and spine. Furthermore, it improves digestion, energises and relaxes the body, removes fatigue and calms the mind.

STEPS
- First, stand with your legs 3-4 feet apart. Take gentle and deep breaths.
- After that, inhale, lengthen the spine and stretch arms overhead.
- Now exhale, bend forward from the hip joints, keeping the spine straight.
- Place your hands on the floor, under the shoulders. Inhale and exhale doing so.
- Lifting the hips up, bend further as you breath out to bring the head toward the floor, in between the hands.
- Separate the thighs. If you are stable, you can separate your feet further apart, maintaining the balance.
- Then keep one palm on top of the other, fingertips to the floor, head above the arms, gazing straight ahead.
- Breathing out, press your arms against the floor and touch your ears with the inner part of your arms while stretching the neck.
- Hold the position for a few seconds and then lower the body and knees to come back to the starting position.
- You can repeat this asana using alternate palms 2-3 times, gradually increasing the length of time in following practices.

BENEFITS
- Strengthens and lengthens all the muscles of the body.
- Helps to bring blood flow to the brain. It can help to prevent Carpal Tunnel Syndrome.
- Beneficial to improve focus. It helps to tone the waist and abdomen.
- The oxygen supply to the brain helps in increasing the memory and makes the mind sharp.

LIMITATIONS
- Eat 3-4 hours prior to the practice. Don't strain while lifting the hips and torso.
- Keep the weight evenly distributed on the hands and feet.
- Those with injury in ankles, wrists, back, suffering from cardiac or stomach problems, and women during pregnancy, avoid this.

By N Elumalai, PhD scholar (Yoga Science), at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

SOUND BOARD

CODE SWITCH
Race, social justice and the complex issues facing marginalized communities are weighty topics, but the Code Switch team addresses them in ways that are digestible and approachable even for new audiences.
- On Apple Podcast

FEEL BETTER, LIVE MORE
Lots of health and wellness advice brings up more questions than answers. Not Dr. Chatterjee's. The GP has almost 20 years of experience, so his conversations with other professionals and straightforward advice simplifies the most complicated subjects into something you can actually use.
- On Apple Podcasts

THE TRUTH
For fans of audiobooks and fiction, this longstanding podcast features a different short story every episode, and we've never heard a bad one yet. They range from funny to sad to a little twisted, and clock in at under 30 minutes each.
- On Audible

HOW TO FAIL
Think everyone has it all together but you? Think again. Journalist Elizabeth Day chats with seemingly successful people about the times they fell down and how they got back up again.
- On Spotify

DOPE LABS
Best friends and scientists Titi Shodiya and Zakiya Whatley prove that just about everything that's blowing up on your social media feeds intersects with science in this fascinating pod. Even if you're not a science buff, there's lots to love here.
- On Spotify

POPULAR ON YOUTUBE

ANDHA SILA NAATKAL
Poornima's family are tenants in Mohan's house. He falls for Poornima who has come from Mumbai. She says she is only being a good friend. This disrupts his mental capacity and he lands up in an asylum for a couple of weeks .
- Cast: Mohan, Poornima Bhagyaraj

MOODUPANI
A successful businessman develops hatred towards women as a result of his troubled childhood, which involved the separation of his parents owing to his father's affection towards a prostitute.
- Cast: Prathap Pothen, Shoba

IRATTAI KURUVI
A romantic comedy where a married man falls in love with another lady. He eventually marries her and neither of them know about their husband's second relationship. Soon things go haywire. How long will he escape the inevitable?
- Cast: Mohan, Radhika

KILINJALGAL
A touching love story between Julie and Babu whose fathers are against their relationship. How will they face this obstacle?
- Cast: Mohan, Poornima Jayaram

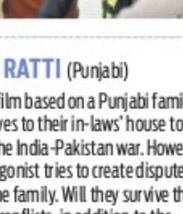
IDAYA KOVIL
Shankar, a budding singer loses his love, Gowri, who commits suicide. When Shankar turns famous, he eventually develops friendship with Surya, a college girl, who falls in love with him.
- Cast: Mohan, Ambika, Radha

WHAT'S ON TED TALKS

1 4 WAYS THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC CHANGED THE WAY WE SLEEP BY MATT WALKER
Have you been having weird dreams? For many people, that's just one of the ways the COVID-19 pandemic has altered their sleeping habits, says sleep scientist Matt Walker. From when to how much to how well we're sleeping, this pandemic may have shaken up bedtime for good.

2 HOW TO ESCAPE THE CYNICISM TRAP BY JAMIL ZAKI
Some days, it's hard to be optimistic. But cynicism is making humanity lonelier and more divided, says psychologist Jamil Zaki. Presenting fascinating research on cooperation, empathy and trust, Zaki makes the scientific case for optimism and shows us how to break out of the cynicism trap.

3 USE YOUR VOICE, VOTE AND WALLET FOR CLIMATE ACTION BY HALLA TOMASDOTTIR
Recently back from the COP26 UN climate conference in Scotland, former Icelandic presidential candidate Halla Tómasdóttir sums up the outcomes of the gathering, the progress she saw and the work that's left to be done this way.



4 A NEW WAY TO HELP YOUNG PEOPLE WITH THEIR MENTAL HEALTH BY TOM OSBORN
TED Fellow Tom Osborn wants more young people to have access to the mental health support they need. With the Shamiri Institute, he and his team are training 18- to 22-year-olds to deliver evidence-based mental health care to their peers in Kenya. Hear how their community-first model could become a template to help kids across the world.

5 THE GLOBAL RISK OF FLOODING — AND HOW TO TURN THE TIDE BY VIRGINIA SMITH
Giving an overview of the dynamic shift needed to stymie the flow of future storm waters, water resource engineer Virginia Smith explains how each of us can help ensure a sustainable future despite the rising tides across the world.

NOW STREAMING

REGIONAL

MUDDY (Malayalam)
Muddy portrays the rivalry between two blood ties named Muthu and Karthy. This combines three unique mud races where a new villain Tony comes in between. Will the three of them be able to defeat each other and who will win the final race is the rest of the story.
Cast: Yuvan Krishna, Ridhaan Krishna, Anusha Suresh
- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

SWEATER (Bengali)
Tuku, a simple and unassuming woman, tries to learn knitting to please her would-be mother-in-law. As she masters the art at her relative's house, she meets Shyamo, who helps her transform herself.
Cast Ishaa Saha, Anuradha Mukharjee, Sreelekha Mitra
- Watch on: Disney+ Hotstar

POGARU (Kannada)
After a troubled past, Shiva becomes a local thug and protects the people around him. However, Shiva's selfless nature is put to the test when a builder tries to exploit the residents for his personal gain. Can Shiva protect the helpless people?
Cast: Dhruva Sarja, Rashmika Mandanna, Mayuri Kyatari
- Watch on: Voot

SANDEEP AUR PINKY FARAAR (Hindi)
Sandeep, a corporate employee, and Pinkesh, a suspended policeman, witness a violent incident. As a result, they must stick together and outrun the thugs pursuing them.
Cast: Parineeti Chopra, Arjun Kapoor, Jaideep Ahlawat
- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

PUSHPA: THE RISE (Telugu)
Pushpa Raj, a coolie, volunteers to smuggle red sanders, a rare wood that only grows in Andhra. He quickly becomes the leader of the red sanders smuggling network. While Pushpa is at his prime, a police officer Bhanwar Singh Shekhawat takes charge as SP and ridicules him for his lineage.
Cast: Allu Arjun, Rashmika Mandanna, Fahadh Faasil
- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with Internet connection.

CHAL MERA PUTT (Punjabi)
A lighthearted comedy about a group of illegal Punjabi immigrants living in the city of Birmingham trying to better their lives. The film explores the struggles they face, the lasting friendships they make and the challenges they overcome all whilst trying to get their PR.
Cast: Amrinder Gill, Simi Chahal, Iftikhar Thakur
- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

DHOL RATTI (Punjabi)
A social film based on a Punjabi family who moves to their in-laws' house to escape the India-Pakistan war. However, the antagonist tries to create disputes within the family. Will they survive their internal conflicts, in addition to the external disturbance?
Cast: Pooja Thakur, Lakha Lakhwinder Singh
- Watch on: Amazon Prime Video

FOREIGN

VICKY AND HER MYSTERY (French)
After his wife's death, Stéphane moves to the mountains with 8-year-old daughter Vicky, who has stopped talking. One day, while walking in the forest, Vicky discovers a puppy that she decides to keep in secret. She names him Mystery.
Cast: Vincent Elbaz, Shanna Keil, Marie Gillain
- Watch on: Netflix

FOUR TO DINNER (Italian)
Parallel storylines portray four single friends as they pair up in different couple combinations.
Cast: Matilde Gioli, Giuseppe Maggio, Ilenia Pastorelli, Matteo Martari
- Watch on: Netflix

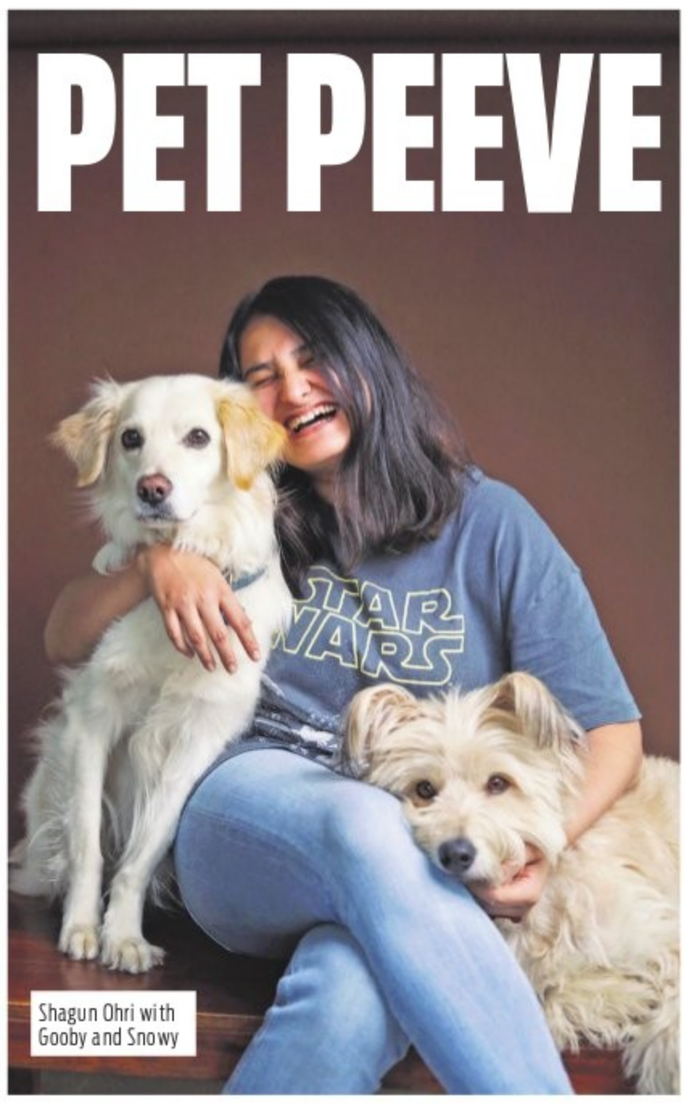
CHERNOBYL 1986 (Russian)
After reuniting with a lost love, firefighter Alexey retires to begin a new life — but the Chernobyl disaster suddenly plunges him back into danger.
Cast: Danila Kozlovsky, Oksana Akinshina, Ravshana Kurkova
- Watch on: Netflix

ANONYMOUSLY YOURS (Spanish)
After an accidental text message turns into a digital friendship, Vale and Alex start crushing on each other without realizing they've met in real life.
Cast: Annie Cabello, Harold Azuara, Estefi Merelles
- Watch on: Netflix

SUBSCRIPTION
Disney+ Hotstar: ₹ 499 per year
Apple TV: ₹ 99 per month
Prime Video: ₹ 129 per month
Netflix: ₹ 149 per month

To be a parent or 'paw'rent? This is the question netizens are debating after the Pope termed those opting for pets instead of children as 'selfish'

PET PEEVE



Shagun Ohri with Gooby and Snowy

ANILA KURIAN

LAST week, during a general audience at the Vatican, Pope Francis made a statement that has many divided. His comment about people opting for pets instead of children, which he termed a 'selfish' move, has created a flutter on social media. He went on to add that 'exhibiting a denial of fatherhood and motherhood takes us away from our humanity'.

In pet-friendly city like Bengaluru, several were up in arms about this statement. Since the pandemic, many Bengalureans have chosen to adopt and welcome pets to their homes as it helped them cope with the uncertainty Covid-19 has brought along.

Shagun Ohri, founder of a design agency called The Satori Studio, who has decided that she doesn't want kids, considers her two dogs as her 'sons'. "I don't believe that it's fundamentally right to think that parenthood comes only from producing a human baby. Your maternal and paternal instincts come from being able to look after another being and know ing that you have the responsibility to take care of them. People feel this way not just about pets but also other family members, plants and more," she says, adding, "At the end of the day, it's an individual choice that each one has to make. It cannot be standardised, otherwise you are denying the right for the other to care just because it's not a human child."

Pope Francis

Gowri O, climate campaigner, feels people choose to go child-free for a variety of reasons. She says, "In my experience, I don't think people consciously choose between having kids or animal companions as two options that present themselves side by side. I may or may not choose animal companionship for entirely different reasons compared to why I may or may not choose to have children. And raising an animal companion can help make a more informed decision about raising or not raising kids. No selfishness in choosing what is right for you."

Assistant professor Hema N, on the other hand, feels pets can become a part of the family but they cannot be substituted for children. She says, "There are many women today who are choosing to not have children because of personal choices or because of career aspirations. But when they grow older, they will feel lonely and miss the bond that only a child will be able to provide." However, she also points out animals are easier to train and tend to understand emotions better. "In my honest opinion, humans and animals co-exist. But animals cannot replace a human child," she adds.

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Whose Kannada is it anyway?

I came to know about Esperanto when I was a little girl. It drew my interest because it was an entirely new language constructed by a Polish medico in 1880s. Much later, thanks to fantasy lit and sci-fi movies, I came across many such artificial languages such as the ones devised by JRR Tolkien for *The Lord of the Rings*, *Star Trek*'s Klingon, *Avatar*'s Na'vi and Dothraki from *Game of Thrones*. As a student of linguistics, I have always found changes in a particular language over time fascinating.

When I started blogging in Kannada back in 2006, I came across a set of people who preferred to write Kannada in a different way. Declaring themselves to be the followers of eminent Kannada linguist Dr D N Shankara Bhat, they strongly advocated the usage of words that originated in Kannada. I read up on Dr Bhat and interestingly, he has a doctorate in Sanskrit and has worked in various reputed universities across the world. Since several decades, he has been working on bridging the gap between spoken and written forms of Kannada language. His 'Ellara Kannada' concept proposes to drop aspirates or Mahapranas from the alphabet since they are not parts of spoken Kannada, while encouraging people to let go of Sanskrit-based words from their vocabulary. He has also suggested many Kannada words that are indigenous, easier to understand and pronounce.

While many embraced these ideas, Dr Bhat also faced brickbats from those who were not ready for change. Trolling was endless. Meanwhile, the octogenarian linguist quietly continues his work from his quaint village home in Shivamogga district. His followers slowly continue to grow in numbers. They have been educating the public on usage of Kannada words through publications, social media posts and interactions.

A few weeks ago, there was a new buzz on Facebook over this Ellara Kannada. A few influencers started strongly advocating it, contending that we have to make it happen by letting go of aspirates from Kannada alphabets. They also brought in the argument that the present alphabet was a casteist construct to suit the privileged lot, which students from rural belts of Karnataka found extremely difficult to imbibe.

While partially agreeing with what they were saying, I did feel a little uneasy about the practical applications of this concept. I asked them, what about those who have aspirates in their names? Do they legally change them? Word association is another problematic area. If you have been tuned to pronounce a particular word while associating a certain image with it, it will be very hard to let go of it. Moreover, Kannada pop culture these days heavily borrows from and relies on English.

All I can say is that this is a very interesting development for Kannada. Those who want this change to happen will also have to work on bringing these Kannada words into daily use first before lobbying for it. It may not happen overnight and will require years of hard work. Let us see if Ellara Kannada is here to stay.

EXPRESS ILLUSTRATION

RELATIONSHIP RESOLUTIONS

(The author is a counsellor with InnerSight)

HAVE you made any New Year Resolutions for the year? Not individual ones like, "I will stop smoking tobacco this year," or, "I will try and be kinder," but relationship ones? What do they look like? What are the problems in your life that they are addressing? How did you arrive at these particular resolutions?

What if we think of New Year resolutions as a re-solution, a process of creating a new solution to a persistent problem. You may have tried things before and maybe they had limited success or may even have made things worse, and now, you need to find new ways of solving the same issue while maybe correcting some of the mess earlier attempts at solutions had left behind.

Let's take a problem like not getting along with a partner's friends or family. Maybe you attempted to solve it by just taking yourself out of the picture — you decided that the problem was spending time with them, getting irritated and annoyed, and how that affected you and your relationship. Let's say you decided that if you just didn't meet them, there wouldn't be an issue in the first place. It may have worked for a few weeks, even months, but then other issues could crop up — you might resent it that this partner chose so often to hang out with those friends instead of choosing you, or you started getting critical of your partner judging them for the company they keep, who in your eyes, were not so nice people. You continue to avoid the problem, that is the people, but start to recognise that it is not solving anything and might have actually had unintended side-effects that are cropping up as new issues. It is then time for a re-solution.

Whether it is the New Year, or any other special occasion like an anniversary or a birthday, or just because it feels like a great day to connect with each other, take the time to sit with each other. State the problem — "I just don't get along with your friends and don't want to feel obligated to spend time with them because you do. Just avoiding them altogether while you meet them leaves me feeling excluded." Then, look at what you are solving for — in the desired state when this is solved, how would it be? "We should both feel free and yet connected. No pressure. No judgments."

Then, try and list out possibilities or scenarios, and see how they measure against these desired outcomes. How does avoiding stack up? What does it sound like for you to spend 1-on-1 time with this partner's friends just so you have your own connection with them? Are there common friends to hang out as a couple?

The trick to successful resolutions is to check against the desired outcomes, not just take up the first thing that comes to mind. Here's wishing you Happy New Year resolutions!

ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT MUSICAL RETREATS

(The authors run SaPa - the Subramaniam Academy of Performing Arts)

THE term chilla is derived from Persian and Arabic languages, and is a time of intense practice that requires you to isolate yourself from the outside world for better focus. It is typically performed in the Hindustani music space, where musicians lock themselves away for 40 days and practice their instrument or voice the whole day.

Here are some things to know about this practice and how it helps advanced musicians grow in their art:

- The term chilla originally referred to meditation and spiritual practice. Eventually, Hindustani musicians also took up the process to hone their art.
- In its most intense form, chilla involves very little food and sleep as well. Practitioners take as little food as they can, avoiding meat and grains. They try not to fall asleep as much as possible, and spend the majority of their time perfecting their skill and working on their music.
- The details of the chilla changes depending on the style of music.
- The idea behind chilla is to live for music only in this 40-day period. In the modern day, that means no phones, no internet access, and no physical or virtual contact with anyone else. Many have said that it has transformed not just their music, but their lives as a whole.
- Some well-known musicians who have shared their chilla practices include Zakir Hussein and Ravi Shankar.

While the chilla is best translated in English as a retreat, the truth is that it is a much more intense, sometimes extreme process. Abdul Karim Khan, a Hindustani singer, described chilla as lighting a fire under your life. In his words, "You either cook or you burn. If you cook, everyone can enjoy your flavour."

Becoming a successful musician takes intense practice, honing your skills, and working on the same piece over and over again, even when it is unpleasant or boring. The idea behind the chilla is to give yourself a chance to remove yourself from distractions and focus on your art.

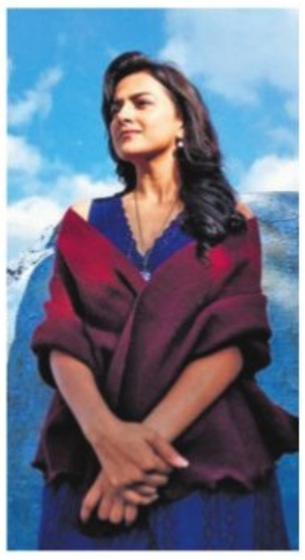
CITY READ

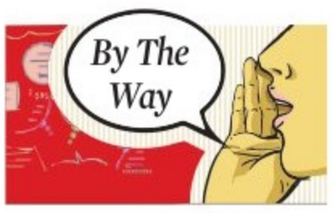
Education institution introduces new course

IIM Bangalore has published a new courseflow — New Product Development — on the nodes platform which will enable new business school faculty to teach for the first time. Designed by Prof Ganesh Prabhu, the courseflow application has complete information of the course outline, overview of teaching objectives, session-wise topics with preparatory notes, multiple case options for every topic, classroom slides, video lectures, video case links as well as typical examination questions and project grading methods. The courseflow can be accessed by web browsers and faculty members can modify their courseflow view privately to their own teaching style and institutional grading requirements.

E-commerce brand launches Sankranti gifting

E-commerce brand Meesho is launching a wide range of gifting options for Sankranti, including home decor, kitchen and dining and apparels. The products include traditional flower toran, rangoli stickers, banana leaf plates, dry fruit hamper, plant pot. They are also introducing traditional fashion wear, including Mysore silk saree, temple jewellery, classic white lungi among others. Available at Meesho website.





OUT OF THE BLUE

When everything else seems chaotic, soaking in the moment is actor Shraddha Srinath. With a cloudy blue sky in the background, the actor is seen looking into the unknown with some hope in a comfortable blue dress. She thanks Ranji Ramesh for the photograph as her fans shower her with compliments and good wishes.

MUSICIALLY YOURS

Looks like *Pancharangi* actor Nidhi Subbaiah had a productive Sunday as she crooned to the tune of popular song *Afreen Afreen*. Sharing the voice clip on Instagram, the actor wrote: "Sunday Things. P.S. Music has no language. We must learn to enjoy music without getting clannish. Hope you like this!" Her fans sure seemed to love it as they praised her melodious voice.

SMART ADS

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The film, bankrolled by PRK Productions, stars Ashika Ranganath and Praveen Tej in lead roles

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O2 SHOOT TO RESUME ON JANUARY 22

THE shoot of *O2*, starring Ashika Ranganath and Praveen Tej, will resume on January 22. This is the sixth venture made under Puneeth Rajkumar's home banner *PRK Productions*, who have previously bankrolled films like Kavaludaari and French Biryani.

O2 marks the debut of directors Prashanth Raj and Raghav Naayak, who are also the writers of this film. *O2* was officially launched on October 8 by Puneeth Rajkumar and producer Ashwini Puneeth Rajkumar.

The team wanted to resume shooting in November but was delayed due to the untimely death of the Powerstar. The film also stars, actor-radio jockey Siri Ravikumar, YouTuber Puneeth B A, and theatre artiste Mohan in prominent roles. DOP Naveen, who has worked in *Ramarjuna* and *Buddhivanta 2*, will be handling the cinematography of O2. The team is yet to finalize the music director.

Raghav Naayak

Prashanth Raj

Praveen Tej

Anup Bhandari

Vikrant Rona director Anup Bhandari flooded with offers from North and South producers

The director is currently working on Sudeep's next, a 3D fantasy adventure film. Meanwhile, the director is also gearing up for his next, *Ashwatthama*, his second film with Sudeep

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ALL eyes are on Anup Bhandari, the director of Sudeep's *Vikrant Rona*. The director is currently striving to bring out the fantasy adventure to theatres on February 24. Meanwhile, he is also gearing up for his next film *Ashwatthama*, which marks his second collaboration with Sudeep. The director seems to be turning a lot of heads from across the nations. It is said that he is being approached by many Bollywood and South Indian producers.

A source in the know told us that Anup Bhandari has

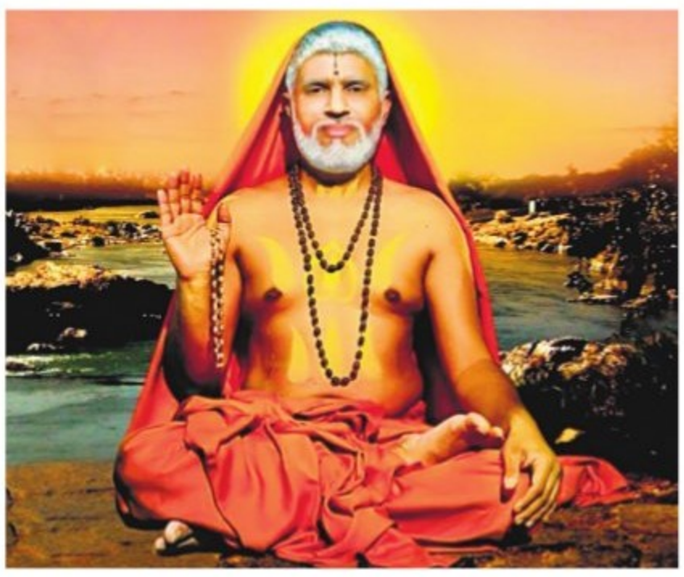
been approached by the popular production house Eros International for a multi-film deal. He also has an offer from Annapurna Studios to do a film for their banner. On top of that, a Hindi film producer is also wanting to collaborate with the promising director.

However, Anup Bhandari remains tight-lipped about these latest developments. He tells us that his current focus is on *Vikrant Rona*, and everything else is on hold. "Any information about my upcoming projects will be discussed only after the film's release," he says.

Vikrant Rona was recently in the news for being offered a whopping price for a direct OTT release. However, producer Manjunath Gowda has refused the offer as the team felt that the film deserves to be experienced on the big screen and in 3D.

Vikrant Rona is set to be released in 14 languages in over 55 countries. The film features Nirup Bhandari, Neetha Ashok, and Jacqueline Fernandes in important roles.

MADHUSUDHAN HAVALDAR TO DIRECT *SRI RAGHAVENDRA MAHATME*



The devotional drama will star Prabhanjan Deshpande in the lead; the duo has previously worked in *Sri Jagannatha Daasaru*

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MAKERS of *Sri Jagannatha Daasaru* are coming up with another devotional film, titled Sri Raghavendra Mahatme. The production house Mathambuja Movies, and director Dr. Madhusudhan Havaldar confirmed the latest development.

The movie will star Prabhanjan Deshpande in the lead. The team has shared the first look of the film with CE. The makers are in the process of finalising the rest of the cast and are planning to begin shooting in a couple of months.

"Our first venture, *Sri Jagannatha Daasaru*, was a dream come true, and we were happy to witness an overwhelming response for a devotional period movie. The crew is thankful to all the Kannadigas who have shown their love towards us. Our focus has been on devotional subjects, which are less explored in today's time, says the director.

Esha Gupta, Arijit Singh and others test COVID positive

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BOLLYWOOD actor Esha Gupta has tested positive for the novel coronavirus. In a note, Esha shared she's isolated herself and is following protocols. She also urged people to mask up.

"Despite the utmost precautions, I have tested positive for COVID-19," Esha shared on Sunday. "I have been following the protocols and have isolated myself and currently under home quarantine. I am sure I will come back stronger and better out of this. Please stay safe and mask up. Take care of yourself and others. Don't forget to Mask up!"

Recently, Bollywood actors Nafisa Ali, Swara Bhasker, Kubra Sait, Mithila Palkar, singers Arijit Singh and Vishal Dadlani, director Madhur Bhandarkar and others tested positive for COVID-19. As per reports, Mumbai registered 20,318 cases on Saturday and 19,474 cases on Sunday.

Pankaj Tripathi to start shooting for *Criminal Justice 3* this month

Pankaj Tripathi

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PANKAJ Tripathi is returning to the *Criminal Justice universe*. The actor will begin shooting for Criminal Justice season 3 this month.

The new season will be shot on a much larger scale with a mix of new and old characters. Pankaj's character, advocate Madhav Mishra, will lead the show.

Pankaj is presently with his family in his hometown, Belsand, in Bihar. He would be commencing the shoot for *Criminal Justice 3* in Mumbai. As per sources, "Criminal Justice has always been a franchise close to Pankaj. The journey which started off from the first season in 2019 got such an overwhelming response that we're already starting to shoot the third season at the start of 2022. Madhav Mishra's character is somewhat like Pankaj - he stands for what is right, no matter what; he believes in uplifting and supporting the weaker sections of our society; and he relies on just two traits - honesty and pure talent."

The new season will stream on Disney+ Hotstar around 2022 end.

Kirti Kulhari

Kirti Kulhari turns producer with *Nayeka*

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ACTOR Kirti Kulhari has launched her own production house, Kintsukuroi Films. Their first project will be a dark comedy thriller titled Nayeka. Kirti will star in it.

Nayeka is written and directed by Ajaykiran Nair. The film is about "a struggling actress who gets caught in a crime by mistake.. followed by a cat and mouse chase further leading into a series of crazy events." Kirti started shooting for the film on January 2.

On the meaning of her banner's name, Kirti shares, "'Kintsukuroi' is a Japanese word which means the art of mending broken pottery with gold. The idea behind this thought is that when something is broken, one uses gold to mend it, making it even more beautiful than its initial broken state." Kirti says she has considered producing for the last couple of years. The success of her recent projects prompted her to widen her horizons.

"The intention is also to create a more equal and collaborative atmosphere in the process of making a film," Kirti says. "Unfortunately, a hierarchy does exist in the way things work and I would aim to bridge that gap, embrace and respect the talent brought to the table in all equality. The idea is also to create opportunities for the young talent.. be it writers, directors, actors, technicians.."

Nayeka is produced by Yatin Gupte and Sajid Melek's Ward Wizard Entertainment, Vashisht Upadhyay and Kirti's Kintsukuroi Films.

Oprah to produce documentary on late actor Sidney Poitier

Oprah Winfrey

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ACTOR, talk show host and producer Oprah Winfrey is producing a documentary for Apple about the late legendary actor Sidney Poitier. Poitier passed away on Thursday at the age of 94.

Winfrey executive produces the project, which has Reginald Hudlin attached to direct. The documentary film has been under production with the participation of the Poitier family for more than a year. Poitier, a Bahamian-American actor, is well-known for many achievements in his illustrious career, but he is best known as the first Black man to win the Academy Award for Best Actor. He won the award Lilies of the Field on April 13, 1964. Some of Poitier's notable works include The Heat of the Night, To Sir With Love, Guess Who's Coming to Dinner?, The Defiant Ones, Porgy and Bess, A Raisin in the Sun, Paris Blues, and more.

First look of Hrithik Roshan from *Vikram Vedha* remake is out

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ON the occasion of Hrithik Roshan turning 48, the makers of the Hindi remake of Tamil blockbuster *Vikram Vedha* released the actor's first look from the film. We had earlier reported that the first schedule of the film was done in Dubai, and Saif Ali Khan, who is co-starring in the film completed the second schedule recently.

The first look features a bloodied and bearded Hrithik Roshan exuding swag wearing a pair of aviator sunglasses. Directed by Pushkar and Gayatri, who also helmed the 2017 gangster drama, the film is expected to be released on September 30. While Hrithik steps into the shoes of Vijay Sethupathi from the original, Saif Ali Khan will essay the role made memorable by Madhavan.

Directed by Pushkar and Gayatri, who also helmed the original, the team is now be heading to Lucknow to shoot scenes featuring Saif. "We are delighted to be working with Hrithik and Saif— two great actors. With a superb team around us, we hope to deliver a film that will be intense and exciting," the director duo said in a statement.

The film also features Radhika Apte and Rohit Saraf in prominent roles. The remake is being bankrolled by Reliance Entertainment in association with Friday Filmworks and S Sashikanth's YNOT Studios.

Hrithik Roshan